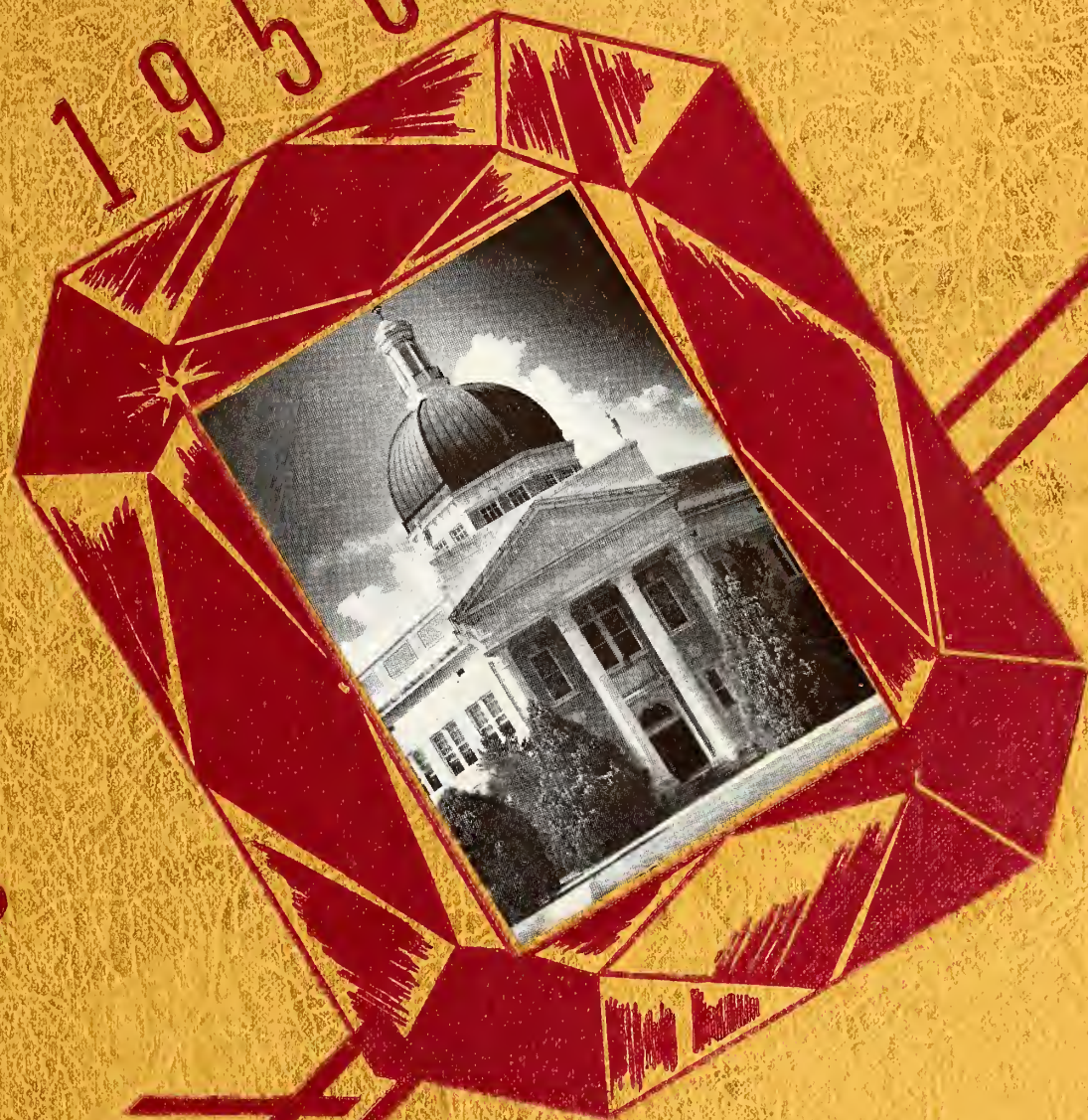


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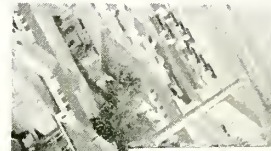


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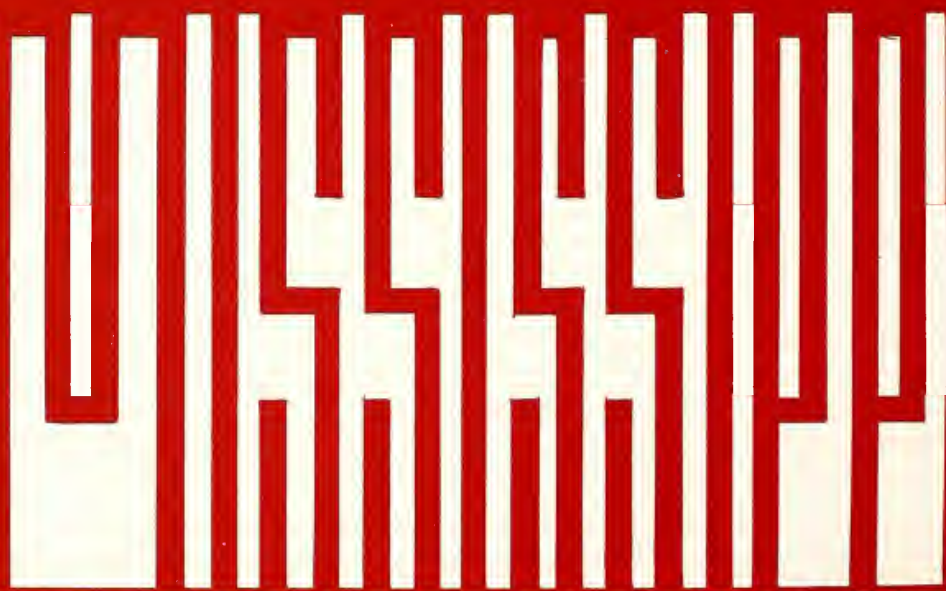


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# In forty years

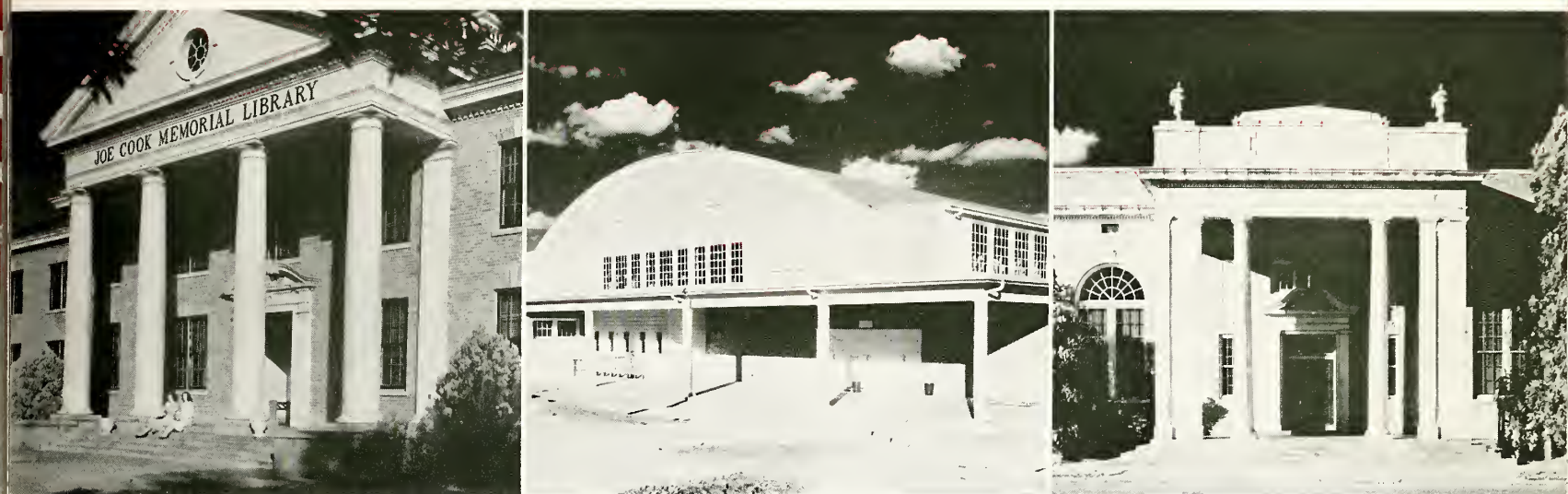
This year—the Ruby year for a college that came into being by a 1910 Mississippi legislative enabling act to prepare better educated public school teachers—has seen the name of Mississippi Southern College brought to nation-wide attention in fields of educational progress and inter-collegiate sports activities. This has been a banner year.

Mississippi Normal College opened its doors in September, 1912, with a faculty of eight men and ten women and an enrollment of 200 students. The course of study, prescribed by the enabling act, consisted of a certificate course and a diploma course. With the opening of the 1915-16 school year administrative determination and the great need for teacher education caused the enrollment to rise to an all-time high of 894 during the 1916 Summer session.

The rapid strides of state education in the following years and the establishing of consolidated high schools made it necessary to raise the course level of teacher education. In 1922 the legislature authorized the college to grant degrees and two years later the name was officially changed to Mississippi State Teachers College. By 1929 both the certificate and diploma courses were dropped from the college curriculum.







Although dedicated to service in the field of teacher education, the improvement in the general standards of the college led to expansion in many divisions. In 1934 the Board of Trustees authorized the college to grant the degree of Bachelor of Music, and in 1938 the Bachelor of Arts degree was added. Thus, a new period of growth was undertaken, and in 1940 the college became known as Mississippi Southern College.

The final decade of growth has been the greatest period of development, not only in the divisions, but in the physical structure as well. In 1946 the college received permission to grant Master of Arts degrees, and in 1949 had a graduate enrollment of 200. Today the graduate division is fully accredited and grants the M.A. degree in Education with emphasis in many fields. Among the new structures added to the campus during this period include a fourteen apartment building for faculty members; a new brick dormitory for men housing 120 students; a better than 3000 capacity sports arena; and a new Women's Physical Education Building.

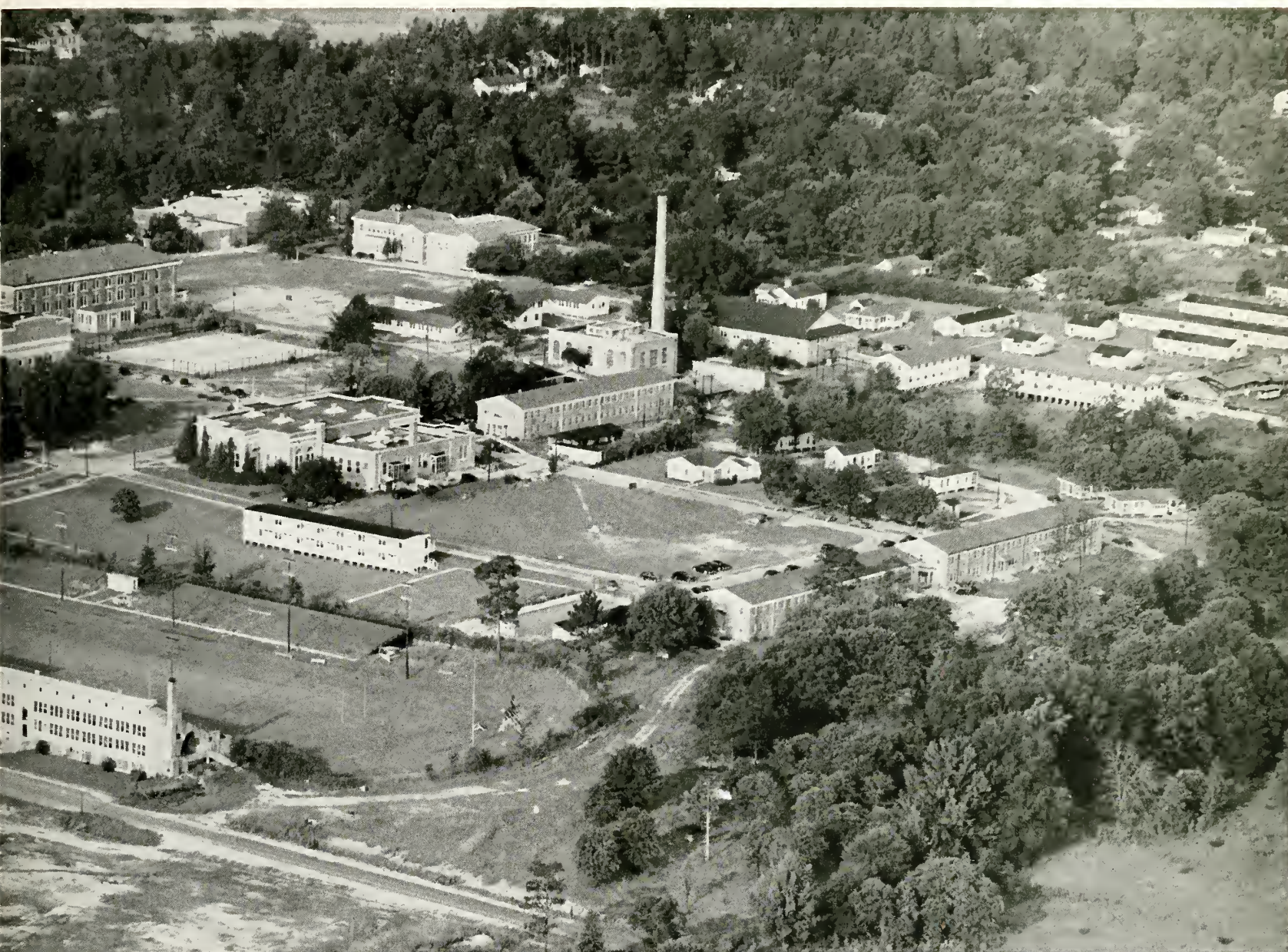
Hidden between the lines of this forty year history lies the unwritten story of the efforts of five presidents, many faculty members and countless students, all of whom contributed in some manner to the progress that has made Mississippi Southern the great school that it is today.

This edition of the 1950 SOUTHERNER, published during a great school year, hopes to be recorded in future history as a part of a progressive administration, a learned faculty, and a great student body.





















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March 6, 1950

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Dear Eddie and Howard:

Congratulations to the editors and business staff of the 1950 SOUTHERNER on this "Ruby Anniversary Edition". It is said that "life begins at forty" and this outstanding volume in the long series of yearbook publications should be the best of them all.

In the annals of Mississippi Southern College, it is quite appropriate that the editors of the annual have chosen to name the publication, the "Ruby Anniversary Edition". I have every confidence that it will be an interesting and outstanding volume of which you and the editorial staff will be very proud.

On behalf of the administration and faculty of Mississippi Southern College, I congratulate you on this unique edition.

Sincerely yours,

*R. C. Cook*

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MY FRIENDS AT MISSISSIPPI SOUTHERN COLLEGE:

It is a pleasure for me to extend to each student, as well as to Dr. Cook and the instructors, my congratulations for the splendid record being made by Mississippi Southern College.

The progress made by your institution during the past few years is outstanding. I am sure the past years of diligent effort on the part of administration and teachers and students which made Mississippi Southern what it is today will be instrumental in its future progress to becoming one of the larger colleges.

My sincere wishes for much success in all the educational, athletic, social and other phases of endeavor being undertaken at Southern.

Sincerely yours,

*Fielding L. Wright*  
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#### DR. R. C. COOK

Dr. R. C. Cook was formally installed as the fifth president of Mississippi Southern College at an inaugural ceremony March 28, 1947, having then served as president of the college since the July 1, 1945, resignation of Dr. J. B. George. An organizer, with an extensive background in education and administration, Dr. Cook has played the stellar role in the school story of growth and progress with an ease and grace that has endeared him to all.

Editor's Note—Below is reprinted a message to the student body from Dr. Cook upon the opening of the 1949-50 school year. We believe this message is typical of the all-round cooperation of administration, faculty and students, without which Mississippi Southern College could never have achieved fame in all phases of college life. We reprint this message in the hope that it will always be a reminder of the true spirit of Mississippi Southern.

### A MESSAGE TO YOU FROM DR. COOK

Southerners, "New and Old":

This is going to be the very best year in the history of the college. It is going to be the best because you are the largest group of undergraduates ever enrolled at Mississippi Southern and you will exert every effort to make this the happiest, the finest and the most wonderful year in your lives.

On behalf of the faculty, the staff, and the administration I want to welcome you to the campus. This thing of making Mississippi Southern the best college anywhere is a matter of teamwork between the faculty and the students and the administration. Cooperation and help will be forthcoming from the faculty and the administration and I know you will individually and collectively help in every way in making our college a better place and a happier place in which to work and live.

The democratic spirit of our student body, the friendly spirit between students and faculty, and the great interest we have in each other is and will be characteristic of Southern.

Our student publications, our student social, academic, and religious organizations will be better than ever this year. I hope each of you will "find a place" for yourself and will develop in knowledge and personality and in spiritual growth.

R. C. COOK, President





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Director of an expanding graduate division, Dr. Sumrall is a man of great executive ability and driving force. Cheerful, according to the Southern tradition, he is well met, both in his office and on the campus.

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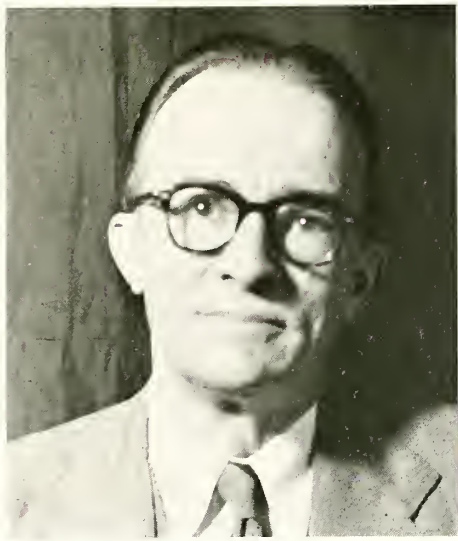
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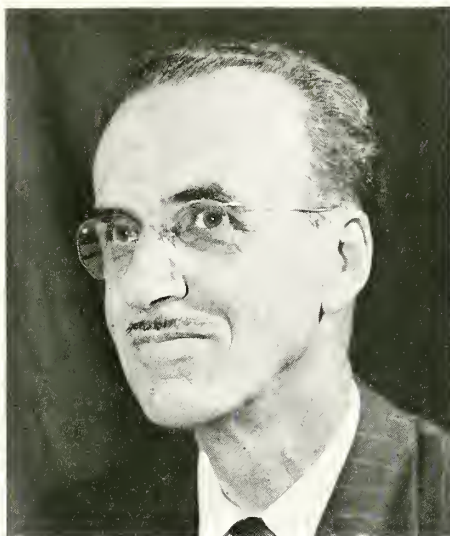




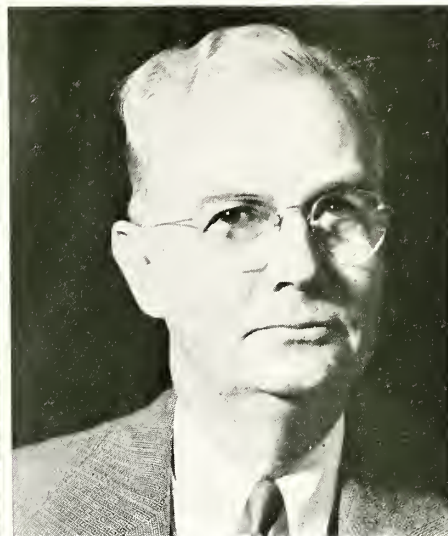
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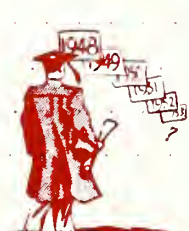
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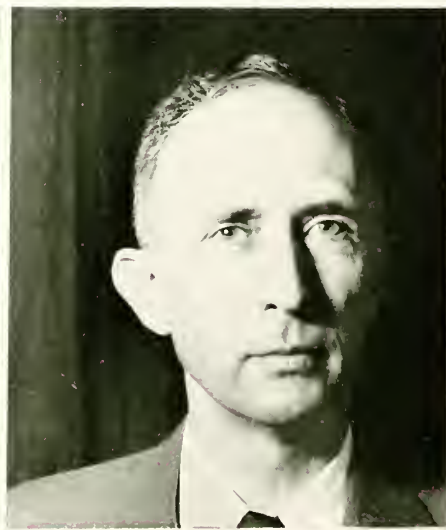
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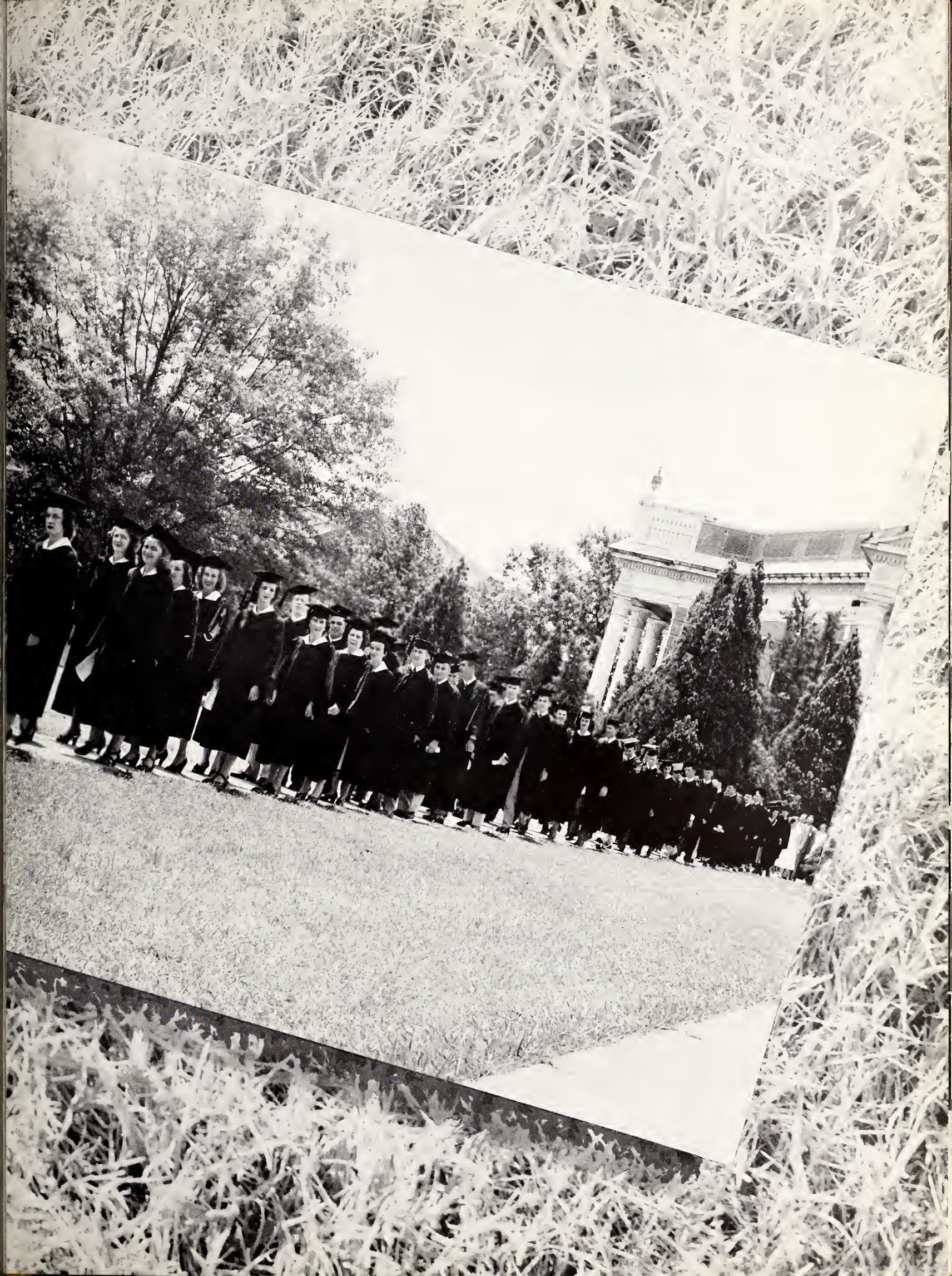




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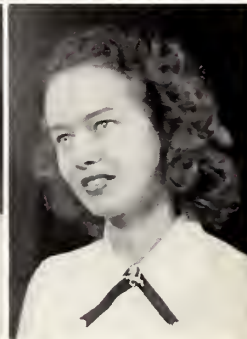
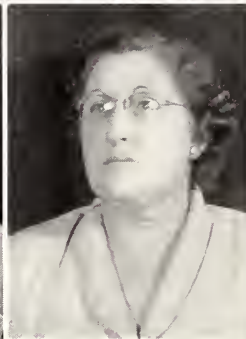
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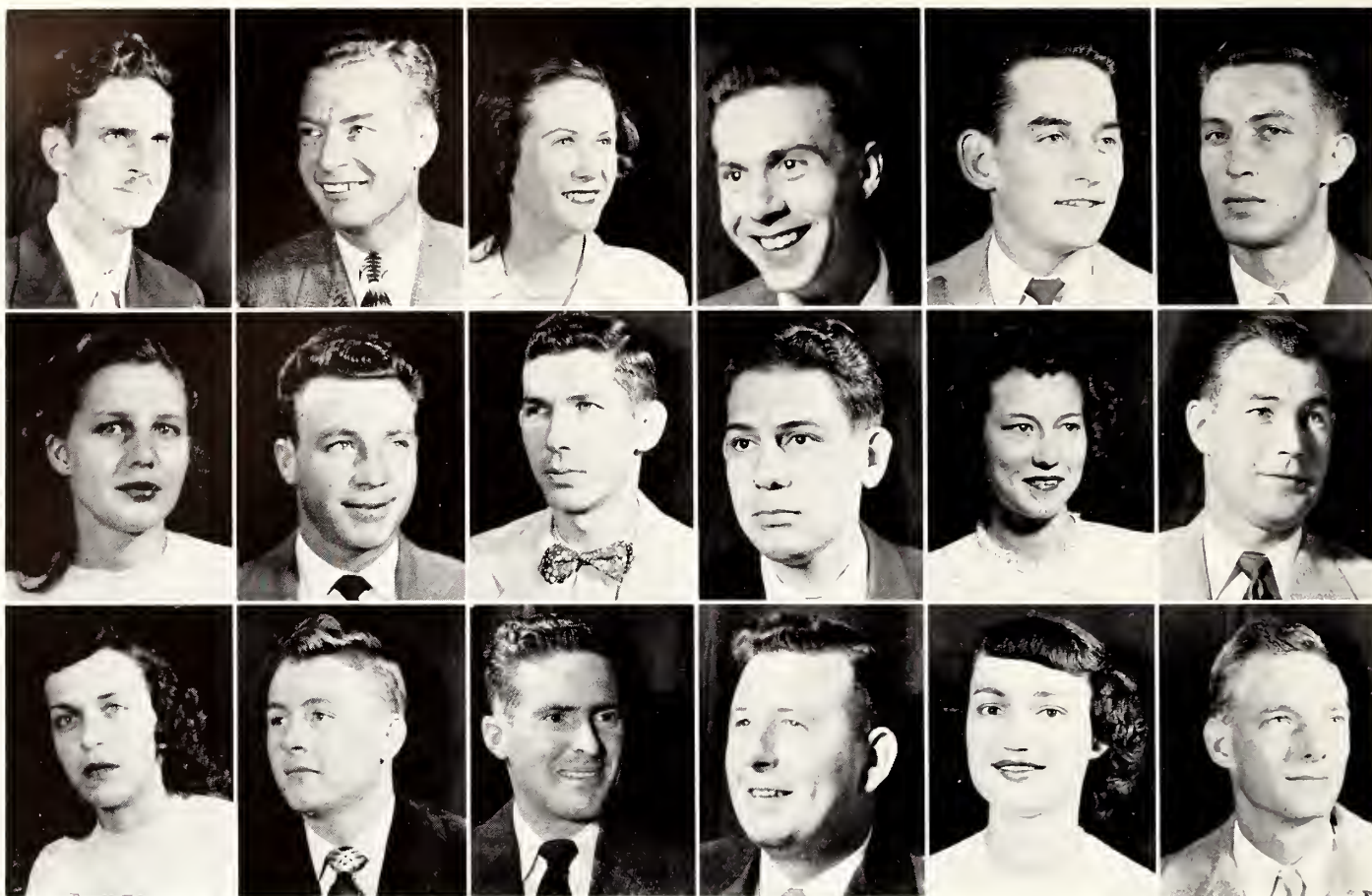
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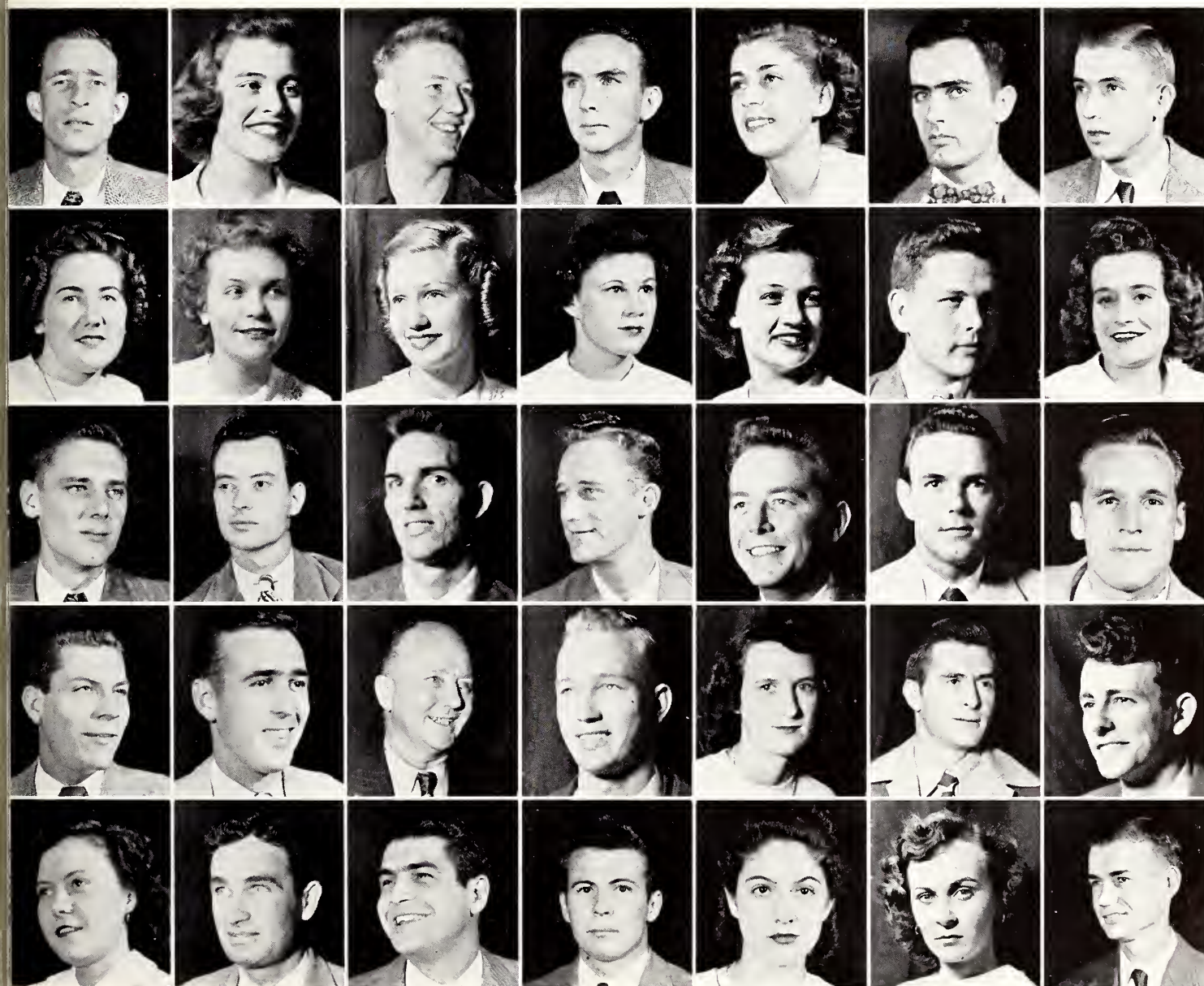
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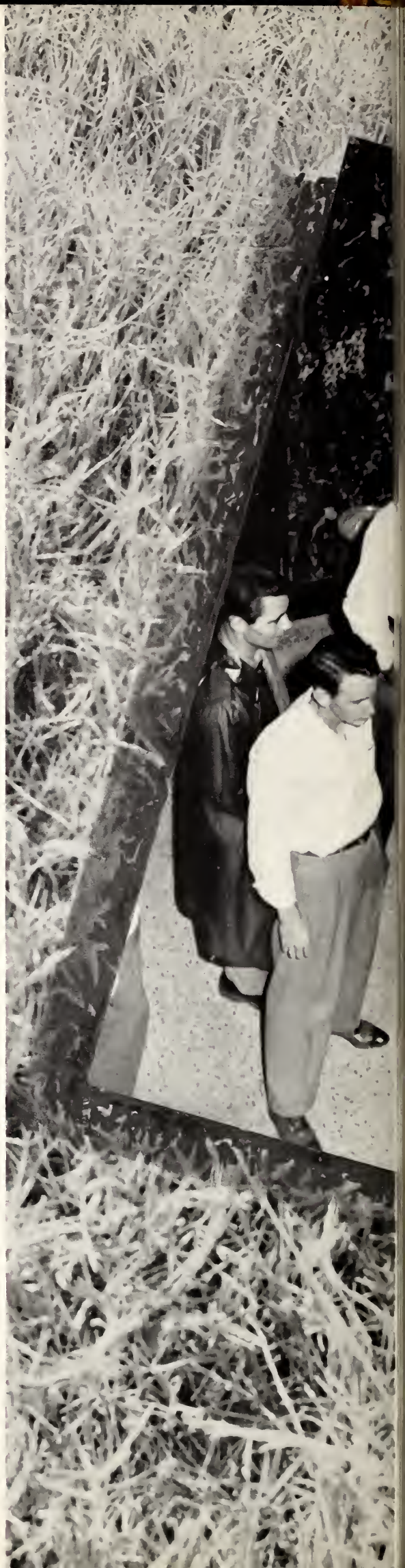


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Graduate Club, Senior, Junior, Sophomore, Freshman Classes, Women's Student Government Association, Stadium Dormitory, Weathersby, Forrest County, Mississippi and Hattiesburg Halls, White House, Clinic Dormitory, Town Girls, Education Club, Pi Tau, Pi Kappa Pi, Freshman Honor Society, Pre-Legal Forum, Alpha Epsilon Delta, Alpha Psi Omega, Band, Vesper Choir, Elementary Council, Foreign Language Club, Future Teachers, Home Economics Club, Commerce Club, International Relations Club, Kappa Mu Epsilon, Pi Omega Pi, Physical Education Club, Pi Kappa Lambda, Pi Kappa Delta, Geography and Geology Club, Alpha Epsilon Alpha, Beta Beta Beta, Alpha Sigma Alpha, Chi Omega, Delta Sigma Epsilon, Kappa Delta, Sigma Sigma Sigma, Phi Mu, Kappa Sigma, Kappa Alpha, Alpha Tau Omega, Phi Kappa Tau, Alpha Delta Mu, Friday-Saturday Club, Christian Federation, Baptist Student Union, Canterbury Club, Newman Club, Westminster Fellowship, Wesley Foundation, Young Women's Auxiliary, Ministerial League, "M" Club, SOUTHERNER, The Student Printz, Women's Athletic Association.



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Student Council Members in picture: Bottom Row, left to right: Ingersoll, West, Hunter, Meyers, Bradshaw, Wright. Second Row: Longre, Reynolds, Butler, Files, Mrs. Gough, Francher. Third Row: Ford, Wade, Ruffin, Buckley, Ammons, Clemens, Kline. Fourth Row: Currie, Fite, Jones, Cook, Dawkins, Hollis, Schmelling. Top Row: Davis, Stanford, Riegert, Helmer, Kirby, Slatery, Cornielson, Dukes.







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Top Left: Campus Favorites. Bottom Left: Field House Frolic

Right Top: Student Government Officers: Cook, Meyers, Hollis, Dr. Lowery, Phillips, Mrs. Gough, Reynolds. Bottom Right: Sadie Hawkins Day Dance.







Left: Edwin A. Schmelling, Editor. Right Howard Wilson, Business Manager.

Mississippi Southern's first annual was published in 1913, as Neka Camon (The New Spirit) with less than a hundred pages. Today, forty years later, the staff of the 1950 SOUTHERNER has endeavored to make the Ruby

edition the true spirit of growth and progress that Mississippi Southern represents today.

It is impossible to mention by name all those responsible for this 1950 record of Mississippi Southern College history and accomplishments. Special thanks go to Dr. R. C. Cook, the administration and faculty, the student body, Mr. Bill Benson and Benson Printing Company staff, Mr. Robert See and Staff, of Shreveport Engraving Company, Kingsport Cover Manufacturers, photographers Waller and Black, Mr. J. T. Palmer, and the SOUTHERNER staff who spent long, weary hours to make this book possible.

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The voice of the students . . . the STUDENT PRINTZ has grown with the school from a four column tabloid to an eight column paper . . . always provides a medium for students to express views and journalistic talents . . . conducts current polls of opinion on all matters concerning the welfare of the college and the student body and represents student body opinion in all matters.



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## VOICE OF THE STUDENTS



# MODERNISTS

Piano, Lonnie Knight; Drums, Russ Sheffield; Bass, Charles Hughes.

Sax: Lavon Ferguson, Tom Wasson, John DiGilio, Paxton Rawls, Ernest Johnson.

Trombones: Howard Myrick, Joe Ware, Robert Chapman, Kelly Love.

Trumpet: James Ball, Bob Jordon, D. A. Miller, Dave Larrimore, G. Easley.

Modern music in the fashion of the modernists. It's a sweet beat!



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Warren Dennis  
Jim Davis  
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James Riley  
Ed. Baker

College humor . . .  
original and otherwise  
. . . from the best to the  
worst . . . and some in  
between.

# SOUTHERN BELLE



# CHEERLEADERS



Bottom, Left to Right: Phyllis Ivy, Corky Capps, Barbara Bond.

Top: Johnny McWhorter, Nell Abernathy, Charles Daws, Joyce Lingle, Billy Bond.

They yell like "L" for the black and gold . . . they're full of steam when they cheer the team.

First Row, Kneeling, Left to Right: Peggy Wilkerson, Ann Covington, Judy Vinz, Joanne Red.

Second Row: Bobbie Jean Parks, Francis Davis, Dianne Newsone, Delores Bacot, Betsy Lowery, Ann Lowery, Lora Baxter, Martha Cooley, Theta Johnson.

Third Row: Johnneen Ingersoll, Marlene Hubbard, Merdell Vincent, Barbara Warrington, Dot Pourry, Marie Backstrom, Tommie Rigdon, Carolyn Ruppel.

Fourth Row: Jan Morrisette, Ann Hassell, Jean Williams, Eloise Chain, Faye Stuckey, Bessie Phillips.

Fifth Row: Emily Elam, Rosemary Quin, Kat Gunter, Jean Files, Katherine Godbold, Floy Mae Polk, Janis Poythress, Margie O'Neil, Jane Williams.

Yellow sweater and a big black letter . . . full of pep and mighty hep . . . Southern's first Pep Squad cheered the gridders on to victory.



## PEP SQUAD



# SOUTHERN PLAYERS

The stars of tomorrow shine today, under the direction of Mr. J. B. Wills, presenting the great comedies and dramas of the modern stage. **LABURNON GROVE**, Pictured: F. Yaconetti, R. Denton, H. Wilson, J. Curtis, K. Gough, H. Taylor. **SQUARING THE CIRCLE**, Pictured: G. Daughdrill, K. Blair, H. Wilson, R. Sims, B. Sharpe, A. Knight, F. Yaconetti, M. T. Williams, D. Barber,

J. Barrett, H. Roberts. **GUEST IN THE HOUSE**, Pictured: J. Curtis, K. Gough, L. Clark, L. Hitt, V. Bryan, M. McWilliams, Z. Skelton, G. Aikens, J. Barich.

**Behind the Scenes:** Director J. Wills, J. Murphy, H. Meyers, Z. Skelton, L. Simmons, K. Blair, E. Evans, K. Gough, J. Barich, F. Yaconetti, B. J. Smith.



Aubrey Knight in "Squaring the Circle"

Joyce Barrett, K. Gough in "Little Foxes"

The "Radio Players": Z. Skelton, B. J. Magee, M. McWilliams, G. Aikens, Johnson, J. Barich



The 1950 edition of the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the Hattiesburg Choral Union, Frank Earl Marsh, Jr., conductor, was the best in the history of the college. Soloists for the eighteenth annual

presentation were Dr. Leonard Nelson, Bass-Baritone, of the University of Illinois, and three Mississippi Southern College faculty members: Miss Edna Bleethen, Soprano; Miss Forrest Delano, Contralto; Mr. Lloyd Petten, Tenor.



The Hattiesburg Choral Union was composed of over one-hundred voices and the Festival Orchestra totaled over forty players.



**First Row**—Left to right: Janis Nowell, Nell Williams, Janis Bovay, Marcia Young, Joyce Thompson, Bettie McDuffie, Jennie Dew Boon, Tommie Pope, Marie Martin, Elaine Brumfield, Kay Polk, Marie Backstrom, Gloria Biehl, Norma Shedd, Beverly McIntyre, Lydia Downing, Rhetta Lou Cook, Betty Lou Smith. **Second Row**: Joan Trieschmann, Gwen Cox, Jackie Backstrom, Lillian Baird, Elizabeth Eustis, Francis Trappey, Charles McLelland, Bill Day, Robert Clement, Peyton Moore, Thomas Wasson, Marvin Miller, Jim Carpenter, Richard Normand, Joseph Abrams, Virginia Blossom, Amelia Graeser, Mary Stuart Harmon, Bobby James, Martha Mayfield. **Third Row**: Edna Rice, Pat Rice, Jeanne Charbonneau, Mary Louise Mozingo, Evelyn Montgomery, Mark Tanner, Gilbert Fryant, Bob Kingsbery, Cecil Harper, Lonnie Knight, Ray Merchetich, James Melton, Elaine Eubanks, Peggy Ezelle, Agnes Burrous, Norma Iversen, Martha Cleveland.



## VESPER CHOIR



# SOUTHERN SINGERS

Left to right: Bobby Clement, Charles McLelland, Agnes Burros, Joyce Thompson, Marsha Young, Norma Iverson, Virginia Blossom, Marie Martin, Bobby Kingsberry, Ray Marketich, Jim Carpenter.



Left to right: Nell Williams, Betty McDuffie, Tommy Pope, Gwen Cox, Janis Bovay, Jo Ann Triesmann, Lillian Baird, Evelyn Montgomery, Martha Cleveland, Lydia Downing, Amelia Graeser, Martha Mayfield.

# MADRAGALLIANS



# LITTLE SYMPHONY

First Row—Left to Right: Helen Janet McDonald, Concert Mistress; Ann Collins, Edna Rice, James Moore, Florence Kearns. Second Row: Starling Cumberworth, Ann Covington, Charlene Redding, Barbara Carden, Gus Little, Joseph Abrams, Marvin Miller, Gerald Easley. Third Row: Samuel Scott, Conductor; Marcus Jordan, Richard Johnson, Mary Frances Head, Thomas Wasson, Kelly Love, Barbara Ross, D. A. Miller, Robert McKee.



## THE BARTED BRIDE

First Row—Left to Right: Bob Kingsbery, Eugene Clement, Monita Prine, Jim Carpenter, Robert Clement, Nellie Wren McCurley, Betty Joyce Keel, Ray Marchetich. Second Row: Thomas Wasson, Virginia Blossom, Bernard Pearson, Charles McLelland, Jeanne Stegall, Richard Normand, Lillian Baird, Gwen Cos, Tommie Pope, Lyndel Smith, Martha Cleveland, Henry Dupree, Janis Nowell, James McCombs, Norma Shedd, Martha Mayfield. Third Row: Kathryn Williams, Bill Day, Cecil Harper, Marie Martin, Lydia Downing, Janis Boxay, Melissa Potter, Carolyn Beverly.

# OPERA WORKSHOP



# BAND



MR. LYLE G. BABCOCK  
Director



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Drum Major

**First Row, left to right:** Joyce Chapman, Bobby Abrams, John DeGillio, Richard Johnson, Billy Williamson, Bill Boles, Mary Frances Head, Charlene Reddin, Jesse Krebs.

**Second Row:** Gerald Easley, Mitchell Saba, Roy David Radin, Bobby Johnson, Bettie Lou Costin, Jane Smith, Betty Smith, Normon Feehan, Edna Rice, Faye Simmons.

**Third Row:** Tom Wasson, D. A. Miller, Dot Lacy, Tommy Whitehead, Cliff Thomas, Robert McKee, Jimmy Sims, James Martello, Billy Shotts, May Denton.

**Fourth Row:** Bobby Kingsberry, Earl Grauer, Fred Lander, Bob Cochran, Hugh Howell, Kelly Love, Jackie Randall, Marvin Miller, Mr. Babcock.

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TOMMYE MORRIS



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Finest band in forty years! The MSC Band represents the College at all football games, entertains during half-time at home and away and presents regular

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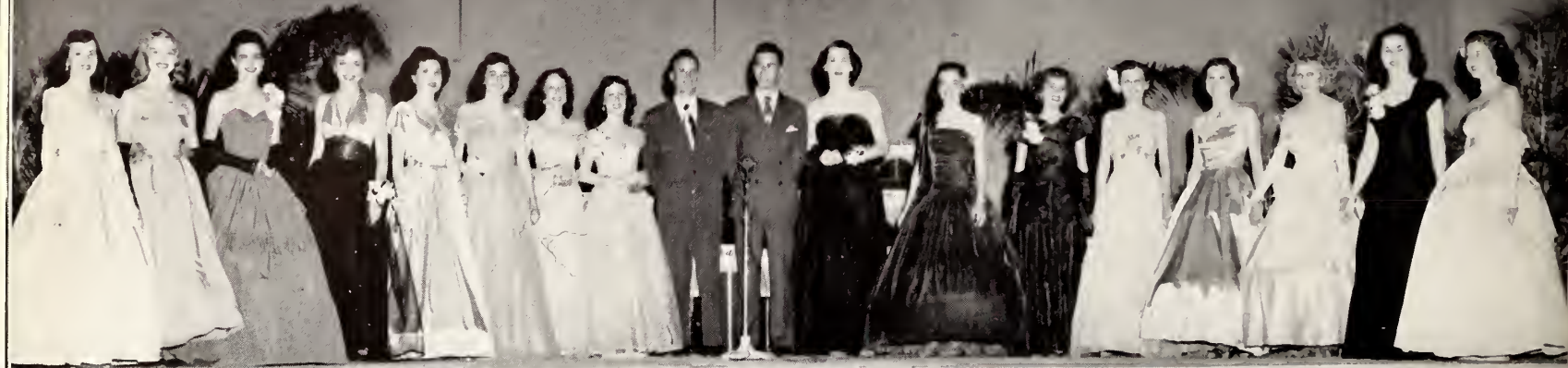








# EMERALD ANNIVERSARY



## THE BEAUTY PARADE

Not Pictured: Joyce Barrett, Carolyn Primm, Faye Stuckey, Betty Doherty, Nevie Ethridge, Ann Covington, Ernestine Ford.

Left to Right: Rose Frederick, Anna Catherine Williams, Glen Mary Newsome, Janis Poythress, Fredna McBay, Kathleen Mason, Betsy Lowery, Ann Lowery, Student Body President Travis Meyers, SOUTHERNER editor Edwin Schmelling, Faye Pierce, Jean Kennedy, Pat Jackson, Polly Becker, Winnie Jean Eley, Lois Byrd, Voncille Bennett, Delores Bacot.

The Southerner, 1950

OF  
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HATTISBURG, MISSISSIPPI

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To the Students -  
An invitation in the Printz  
for you. The students, to select  
a gallery of "Jewels", brought an  
avalanche of response.  
The top five, of the 21  
most lovely ladies offered by  
you for our features, were  
presented to the Student Council  
who chose, miss Rose Frederick to  
head the list.  
For your appreciation, we  
present our galaxy of "Jewels".  
Sincerely  
Ed. Schmelling, Editor.







*Miss Rose Frederick*



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VONCILLE BENNETT



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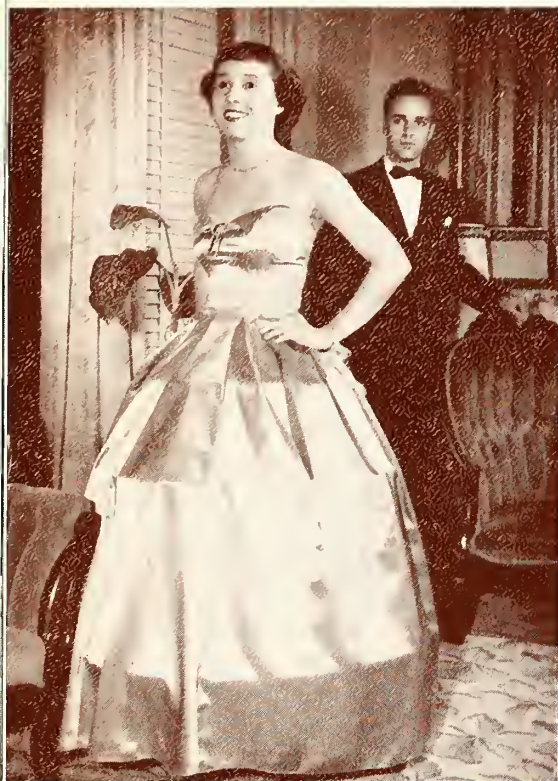




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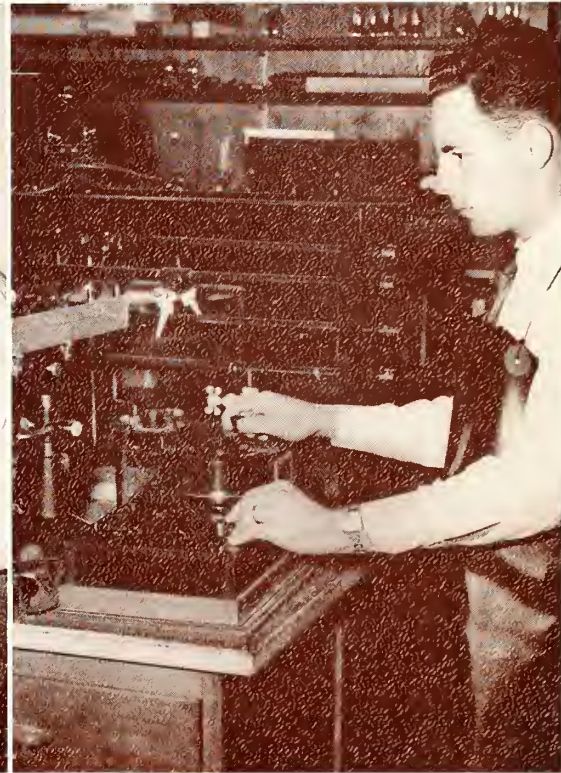
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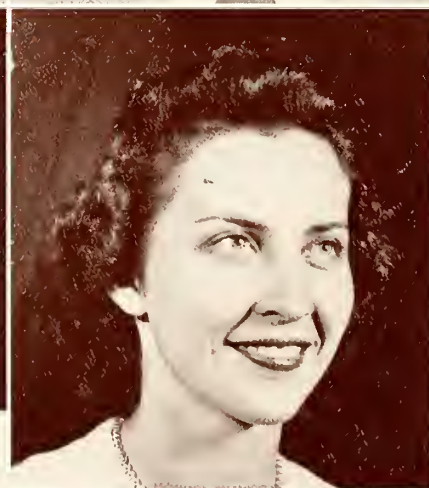
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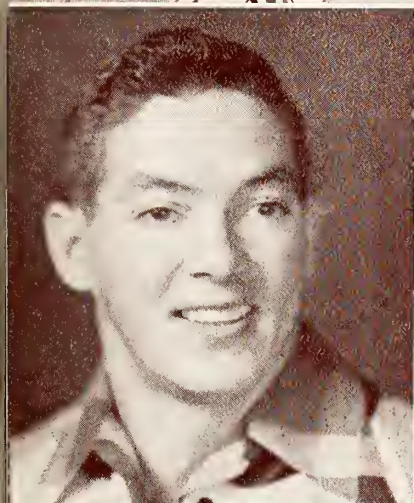
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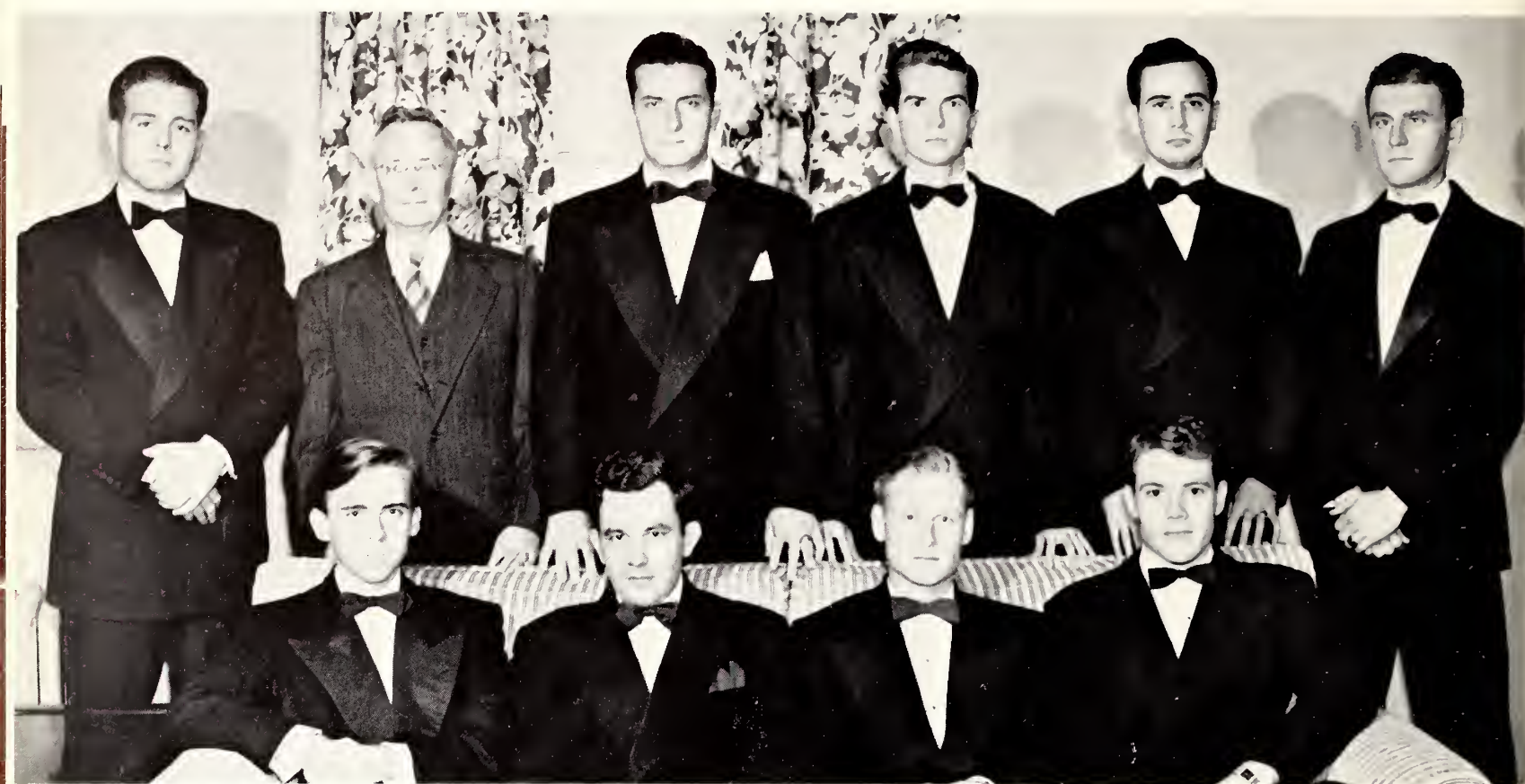
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Standing: James Riley, Alpha Delta Mu; Dr. R. G. Lowery; Leo Clark, Phi Kappa Tau; Bobby Jones, Kappa Alpha; Tom Rhea Phillips, Alpha Tau Omega; Tom Bass, Pi Kappa Alpha.

Not Pictured: Mark Grimes, Kappa Sigma.

Coordinator of interfraternity activities for the Greeks . . . declares rules, dates and procedures for rushing and pledging activities . . . assigns calendar dates for socials . . . composed of representatives from all campus fraternities and the Dean of Men . . . sponsors annual formal and other social activities.

## INTERFRATERNITY COUNCIL



# PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

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Helen McBeth, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Myrna Reynolds, Delta Sigma Epsilon;  
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Governing body for women's fraternities . . .  
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. . . acts as a forum for the unbiased discussion of  
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Pan Hellenic life . . . sponsors tea to open formal  
rush week and other social activities.



BETTY READ  
President





# PHI KAPPA TAU

BETA EPSILON



CHAPTER

Founded: Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, 1905. 61 Active Chapters. Beta Epsilon installed, October 16, 1948. Colors: Red and Old Gold. Flower: Red Carnation.

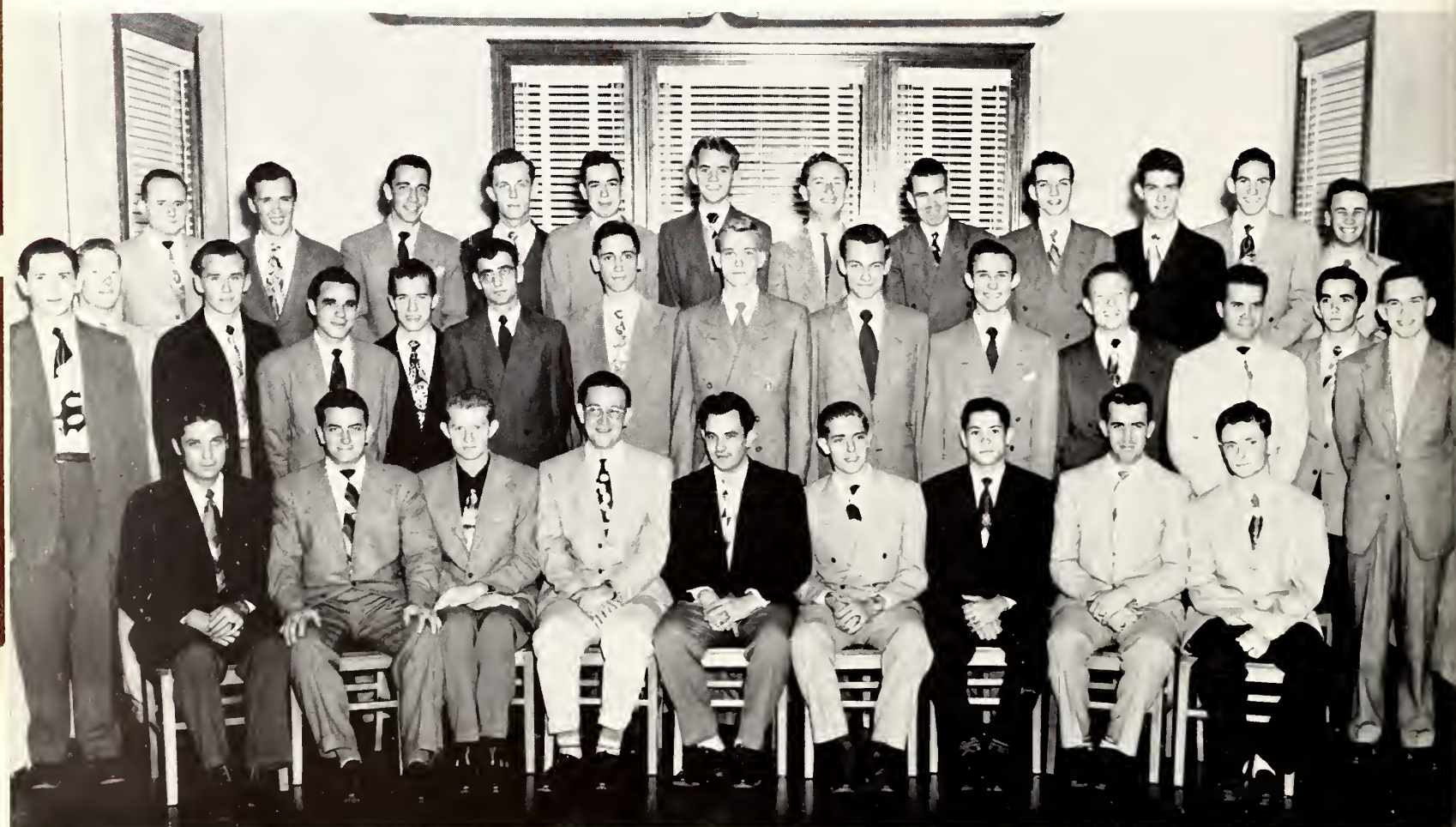
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Oldest national social on the campus . . . believes in Christian fellowship and brotherhood . . . members active in Pi Kappa Pi . . . dramatics . . . sports . . . publications . . . student government.

When the Beta ship is under sail . . . Captain Bill

Miller relays orders to first mate Ferguson . . . while ship secretary Lundy put the scoop on paper . . . Nickelson writes to the folks back home . . . and the stamp money comes from the gold bags of Howard Wilson . . . Willie Pugh is official ticket puncher.

Looks Good!



Look at Leo!





# KAPPA ALPHA

GAMMA ZETA



CHAPTER

Founded: Washington and Lee University, 1865. 73 Active Chapters. Gamma Zeta installed, November 7, 1948. Colors: Crimson and Gold. Flowers: Magnolia and Red Rose.

**First Row.** Left to Right: Monkey Morgan, O. J. Miller, Ed Corley, Moody Reed, Kelley Love, Earl Braver, Jimmy McKenzie, John Mitchell, Corky Capps, Hembert Sinopali.

**Second Row:** Eugene Bailey, Jimmy Jamieson, Charles Singleton, Lindy Stewart, Ralph Stewart, Jimmy Hamilton, Walter Adams, Billy Williamson, Doc Roberts, Clint Arnald, Bill Bowlus, Clyde Pigatt.

**Third Row:** Reese Snell, Billy Beard, Johnny Little, Wendell Causey, George Cronia, Clarence Wood, Goldie Brophy, Armond Prentiss, Roddy Wood, Tommy Ferrell, Bubber Phillips, Jack Robinson.

**Fourth Row:** Carl Johnson, Bobby Kingsberry, Gerald Martin, Dick Strain, Wayne Howard, Oscar Bragg, Jerald Easley, Harry Barber, Bert Campbell, Stone Barefield, Bobby Jones, Rip Cirlot, Clifford Johnson.



JOHN LITTLE  
President





## OFFICERS

JOHN LITTLE	I
BILLY BEARD	II
BOBBY KINGSBERRY	III
TOMMY FERREL	IV
RODDY WOODS	V
GERALD MARTIN	VI
OSCAR BRAGG	VII
JIM OWEN	VIII
BOBBY JONES	IX



Seated, Left to Right: Beard, Little, Kingsberry. Standing: Martin, Jones, Bragg, Strain, Woods, Ferrel.

Homecoming float prize-takers of the year . . . intramural football champs . . . spring formals . . . dances and house parties . . . hayrides . . . the big red flag . . . members in Pi Kappa Pi . . . band . . . orchestra dramatics . . . varsity football . . . tennis.

When the K.A. regiment comes to attention John Little wears the commandant's stripes . . . able aide and assistant is Billy Beard . . . lieutenant bars adorn the shoulders of Kingsberry, Ferrel and Woods . . . sargeants Martin, Bragg, Owens and Jones relay the orders to the troops.

Hey Ma! Look at Me!



Lee Day





# KAPPA SIGMA

EPSILON NU



CHAPTER

Founded: University of Virginia, December 10, 1869. Traces origin to University of Bologna, 1400. 119 Active Chapters. Epsilon Nu founded December 11, 1948. Colors: Scarlet, White and Emerald. Flower: Lily-of-the-Valley.

**First Row.** Left to Right: Joe Barron, E. P. Hewes, Chicken Howard, Edward Hughes, Norman Sanford, Jimmy Dale, Mark Abraham, Charles R. Herrington, Sam Bourne, Mike Doherty, Bill Still, Buddy Williams.

**Second Row:** Louis Martello, Charles Reedy, Pete Krohn, Nelson Black, Jerry Biggers, John Covington, Bill Moore, Charles Daws, Mitchell Saba, Jim Davis, Jackie Mann, Jimmy Martello, Joe Bob Murray.

**Third Row:** Norman Galotte, Leon Pickard, Dick Watson, Mason Shelby, Doc Martin, Don Noblitt, Bill Brewer, Dick McCarthy, Ed Baker, Billy Ray Ammons, Richard Stewart, Tommy Wakeland, James Starks, Dan Lindsay, Mr. Thomas.

**Fourth Row:** Pat Tatum, Randy Barnes, Jack Hunt, John McCarty, Truel McKinney, Don Clemens, Mark Grimes, Jan Slattery, Zan Skelton, Bob Riegert, Harry McLemore, Dean Noblitt, Mike Bennett.



**MARK GRIMES**  
Grand Master





## OFFICERS

MARK GRIMES . . . . . Grand Master  
 JOHN McCARTY . . . . . Grand Procurator  
 NORMAN GARLOTTE . . . . . Grand Master of Ceremonies  
 MIKE BENNETT . . . . . Grand Scribe  
 DICK McCARTHY . . . . . Grand Treasurer  
 MR. ORVILLE THOMAS . . . . . Faculty Advisor  
 HARRY McLEMORE . . . . . Guard  
 BILLY RAY AMMONS . . . . . Guard



Seated, Left to Right: Grimes, McCarty, Garlotte, Bennett, McCarthy, Mr. Orville Thomas. Standing: McLemore, Ammons.

The "second-story" boys . . . the crew to beat for homecoming float honors . . . first prize winners in '48 and third honors in '49 . . . active in all phases of intramural sports . . . members in various campus honor societies . . . publications . . . dramatics . . . radio . . . varsity sports . . . three members of "Who's

Who in American Colleges and Universities."; . . . one member chosen for hall of fame.

Marcus (Polo-Boy) Grimes is Grand Gavel Beater of the Sig clan . . . McCarty cracks the whip . . . Garlotte is the righteous ritual man . . . Bennett scribbles while McCarthy jingles . . . shining knights in armor at the chapter door are Ammons and "Mac."

Sign Here, Men



Noblitt Expounds





# ALPHA TAU OMEGA

EPSILON UPSILON



CHAPTER

Founded: Richmond, Virginia, September 11, 1865. 106 Active Chapters. Epsilon Upsilon installed November 19, 1949.  
Colors: Sky Blue and Gold. Flower: White Tea Rose.

**First Row,** Left to Right: Mr. J. T. Palmer, Hulon Simmons, Fred Camp Wilson, George Craft, Woodie D. Cook, Tom Rhea Phillips, Jr., Charlie McLelland, Bill Demoran.

**Second Row:** Gene Cryder, Tommie Woods, Bob Touhey, Norwood Latimer, Andy Mayfield, Clarence Frenz, Warren Fortenberry, Bill Taylor, Billy Mac Mayfield, Clarence Milling, Jr., Jack Spence, Lyle Page, Harold Jones, Lonnie Knight, Jr., James Berry, Ray Marchetich, George Brock, Bill Hodges, Ben Briggs, Jr., Bill Reedy, Bobby Clement.

**Third Row:** Bob Moore, Hop Phillips, Van Allen Phillips, Buddy Dees, Milford Kelley, Phil Turner, Jack Thrift, Jimmy Neeley, Tom Wasson, Gene Brown, Don Smith, Dewey Gibson, Jimmy Sims, Jerry Williams, Lewis Webb, Mel Laird.



WOODIE COOK  
Worthy Master





## OFFICERS

WOODIE D. COOK	Worthy Master
TOM R. PHILLIPS	Worthy Chaplain
HULON G. SIMMONS	Worthy Keeper of Exchequer
FRED C. WILSON	Worthy Keeper of Annals
GEORGE H. CRAFT	Worthy Scribe
DEWEY GIBSON	Worthy Usher
CHARLES McLELLAND	Worthy Sentinel
JACK W. THRIFT	Palm Correspondent
MR. J. T. PALMER	Faculty Advisor



Left to Right: Cook, Phillips, Craft, Wilson, Simmons, Thrift, Demoran, McLelland, Gibson, and Mr. J. T. Palmer.

The fraternity that lives in a barn . . . but what a barn . . . natural pine finish and the rose room . . . and Rose smiling from the mantle . . . house parties . . . spring formal . . . sweetheart dance . . . active members in Pi Kappa Pi . . . Pi Tau . . . music . . . dramatics . . . sports . . . congenial and friendly . . . a "hello" for everybody . . . three members chosen for Who's Who . . . one for hall of fame!

When the barn is closed and the barn blinds are drawn . . . Worthy Master Woodie Cook expounds with wisdom . . . T. R. Phillips expounds with mighty "Amens" . . . while H. Simmons jingles the silver . . . "He's got 'em" Craft is pen man . . . Wilson is custodian of the valuables.

Now, Hear This



Sweet Sweetheart





# PI KAPPA ALPHA

DELTA MU



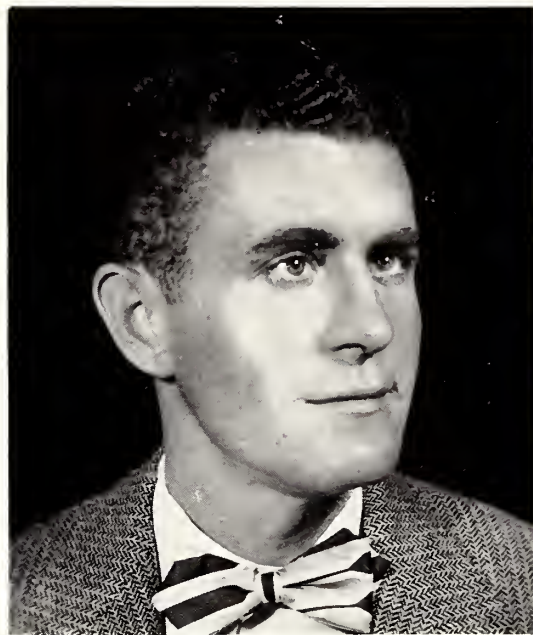
CHAPTER

Founded: University of Virginia, 1869. 93 Active Chapters.  
Delta Mu installed, December 10, 1949. Colors: Garnet and  
Old Gold. Flower: Lily-of-the-Valley.

**First Row,** Left to Right: Jim Vincent, Bill Sykes, Austin Moran, Harold Nowell, Kenneth Jackson, James D. Price, Johnny Price, Harry Myers.

**Second Row:** Alvin Bledsoe, Mack Hamrick, Douglas Manson, Van Vaughn, John Wood, Phil Slade, Tom Bass, Jim Whitelaw, Mack Davis, J. L. Craft, Frank Mayo, Jim Wright, Billy Bob Anderson.

**Third Row:** Dr. C. E. Lane, Ellis Cooper, Bob Redell, Robert West, Bill Netterville, Terrel Dean, Alexander Currie, Bradford Jackson, Henry Dixon, Billy Johnson, Tommy Thomas, Robert Gordon, Billy Ray Smith, Ed. Smith, Lester Penn, Royce Heilin, Charles Hammond, Mr. Orville Phillips, Dr. J. T. Davis.



**TOM BASS**  
SMC President





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## OFFICERS

THOMAS A. BASS	SMC President
JAMES VINCENT	IMC Vice-President
TOMMY DALE	THC Treasurer
JOHN WOOD	Historian and Reporter
JIM WHITELAW	SC Recording Secretary
PHIL SLADE	SC Corresponding Secretary
ROBERT T. WEST	MC Sergeant-at-Arms
BRADFORD JACKSON	Chaplain
ANSE McKAY DAVIS	Intramural Sports Director
DR. J. T. DAVIS	Faculty Member
MR. JOHN JONES	Faculty Member
MR. O. L. PHILLIPS	Faculty Member
DR. CHARLES E. LANE	Faculty Advisor



Left to Right, Seated: Dr. C. E. Lane, advisor, Bass, Vincent, Slade, Dr. J. T. Davis, sponsor, Mr. Orville Phillips, sponsor, Wood, Whitelaw, Davis.

The "baby" of the national social fraternities on the campus . . . the boys who live in the "Colonial" mansion . . . joined the campus national fraternity group just last December . . . And what plans . . . a dream girl dance . . . deep sea fishing trips . . . summer picnics . . . house smokers . . . and continuous friendship and brotherhood.

When the shades are drawn . . . the candles burning low . . . Tom Bass wears the eagle feather of authority . . . Jim Vincent . . . of the derby and the cigar . . . helps carry the heavy peace pipe . . . Tommy Dale controls the strings to the Wampum bag . . . and John Wood is custodian of the tribal papers.

## Installation Speaker



## Fraternity Report





# ALPHA DELTA MU



Founded: Mississippi Southern College, May 19, 1947. Local Organization. Colors: Green and White. Flower: Magnolia.



**FRED YACONETTI**  
President

**Seated.** Left to Right: Ray Weems, Bishop Barker, E. C. Stanford, James Riley, M. V. Rush, David McClamrock, Joseph Sarg, Herbert Dickinson.

**Standing:** Wesley Bozone, McAdoo Byrd, Vernon Brown, Halton Campbell, Lyle Bonge, Walley Turner, Basil McLeod, Fred Yaconetti, William Boatman, Dan Hitt, Jack Lee.





## OFFICERS

FRED YACONETTI . . . . . President  
M. V. RUSH . . . . . Vice-President  
DAVID McCLAMROCK . . . . . Secretary  
E. C. STANFORD . . . . . Treasurer  
RAY WEEMS . . . . . Inter-Fraternity Council Repr.  
JAMES RILEY . . . . . Student Council Representative  
LYLE BONGE . . . . . Governing Committee  
DR. PORTER FORTUNE . . . . . Sponsor

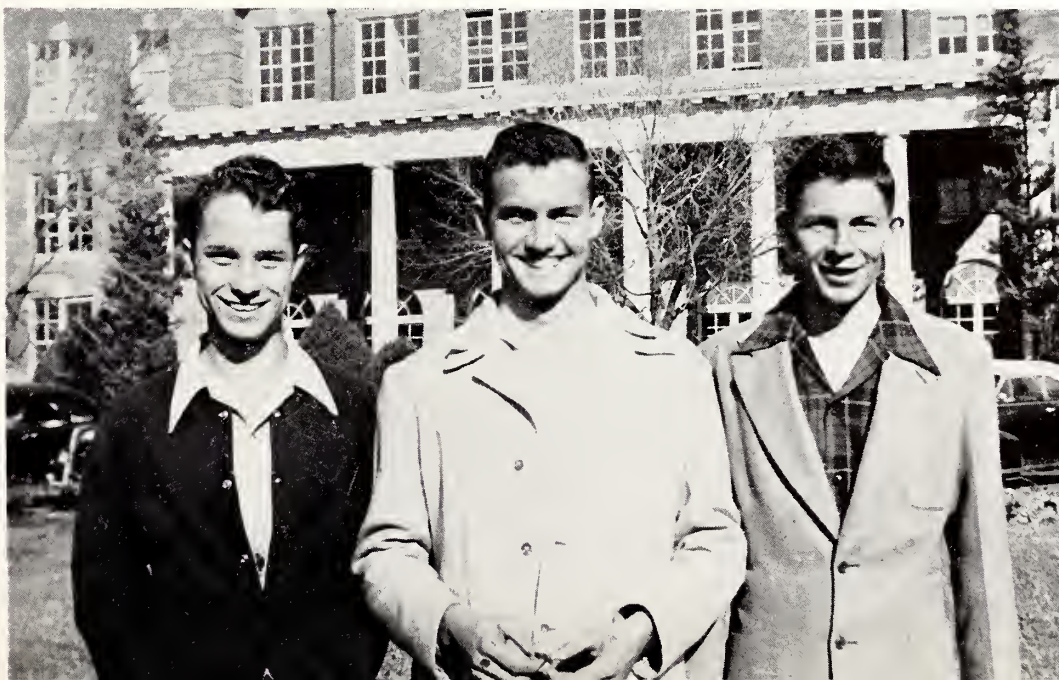


Left to Right: Yaconetti, Weems, Stanford, Riley, Dr. Fortune, Rush, McClamrock, Bonge.

Highest scholastic average among fraternities . . . . .  
recognized as gentlemen of learning and gentlemen  
as well . . . members active in campus honorary as-  
sociations . . . . . dramatics . . . . . debate team . . . . . student  
government . . . . . publications . . . . . destined to join  
campus national fraternity group.

"Inspector" Yaconetti is the new chief gavel rapper  
of the Alpha Delta Mu clan . . . and Stanford is the  
man who presents the money bags for weekly in-  
spection . . . . . Rush rushes in to hold the gavel while  
the inspector counts the take . . . . . and Bonge counts  
the clan . . . . . McClamrock makes with the margin  
notes.

Three Smiling Pledges



Chapter Sweetheart





# SIGMA SIGMA SIGMA

ALPHA SIGMA



CHAPTER

Founded: Chartered as local organization, Gamma Delta Tau, January 24, 1937. Became Alpha Sigma of Sigma Sigma Sigma, May 14, 1937. 43 Active Chapters. Colors: Purple and White. Flower: Violet.

**Seated,** Left to Right: Rebecca Evans, Robin Longre, Evelyn Kazar, Myrl Stubblefield, Charlene Redding, Byrl Harkey, Sally Bodman, Betty Windham.

**Standing:** Jean Kennedy, Bobbie Jean Parks, Helen Hall, Carlyne Wornock, Rose Fredrick, Faye Pierce, Helen MacBeth, Louise Simms, Mae Denton, Lynn Greene.



HELEN MACBETH  
President





## OFFICERS

HELEN MACBETH	President
FAYE PIERCE	Vice-President
EVELYN KAZAR	Treasurer
ROSE FREDERICK	Recording Secretary
JEAN KENNEDY	Corresponding Secretary
ROBIN LONGRE	Student Council Representative



Left to Right: MacBeth, Kazar, Kennedy, Pierce, Fredrick, Longre.

Supports various charities through coordination of all chapters . . . conducts local service projects according to the need of respective communities . . . promotes the ideals of sisterhood and scholarship . . . members active in dramatics . . . speech . . . dance . . . represented among lovelies at annual "Beauty Ball" . . . two service stripes for "Best-Dress-

ed Girl at M.S.C." and the "Sweetheart of Alpha Tau Omega."

MacBeth makes with the gavel during the Tri-Sig shenaghins . . . Faye (B.D.) Pierce is heir apparent to the throne . . . Kazar keeps the treasury . . . Sweetheart Rose records . . . and Jean jams the mail with the recordings . . . and Rapid Robin rambles to the council meetings.

Convention Bound



Canasta?





# DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

ALPHA KAPPA



CHAPTER

Founded: Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, September 23, 1914. Alpha Kappa installed May 10, 1940. Colors: Olive Green and Cream. Flower: Cream-Tea Rose.

**Seated:** Miss Edna J. Bleethen, Faculty Sponsor; Joan Davis; Mrs. Mary Jo Magee, Faculty Sponsor; Myrna Reynolds, Nita Moffett, Joyce Chapman; Betty Sue Breland; Sybil Harris; Frances Buckley; Mrs. W. W. Stout, Faculty Sponsor.

**Standing:** Lillian Nasif, Myrl Newton, Faye Stuckey, Nell Buckley, Yvonne Nicola, Ernestine Ford, Ruth Ann Butler, Mary Jane Burkett, Judy Wilson, Goldie Daughdrill, Dorothy McLeod, Lorena Garrison, Mary Frances Matthews, Betty Ruth Jones.



MYRNA REYNOLDS  
President





## OFFICERS

MYRNA REYNOLDS	President
BETTY DOHERTY	Vice-President
JOYCE CHAPMAN	Recording Secretary
BETTY JO DAVIS	Corresponding Secretary
RUTH ANN BUTLER	Treasurer
JO ANN DAVIS	Editor
NELL BUCKLEY	Sargeant
ERNESTINE FORD	Student Council Representative
MERLE NEWTON	Historian
MRS. W. W. STOUT	Sponsor
MRS. MARY JO MAGEE	Sponsor
MISS EDNA BLEETHEN	Sponsor



Left to Right: Doherty, Chapman, Butler, Breland, Buckley, Ford.

Dedicated to the ideals of fraternity and service . . . supports various charities through McGuffey Foundation . . . Red Cross . . . hospital donations . . . sponsoring of occupational therapy programs . . . members active in campus religious organizations . . . dramatics . . . publications . . . one member listed in

Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges."

Myrna (Miss M.S.C.) Reynolds captains the Delta Sigma team . . . V.P. is Betty—the beaut—Doherty . . . Chapman and Moffitt share the secretarial seats . . . Buckley keeps order in the house . . . and Ford speaks the chapter piece to the student council.

### How About Me, Coach?



### Santa Pat





# ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA

BETA DELTA



CHAPTER

Founded: Longview College, Farmville, Va., November 15, 1901. 36 Active Chapters. Beta Delta installed, May, 1938. Colors: Pearl White and Crimson. Flowers: Aster and Narcissus.

**Seated.** Left to Right: Jean Bradshaw, Dot McGilvray, Penny Stewart, Mary Tom Williams, Amorita Gordon, Hughleen Roberts, Peggy Goree, Mary Ann McCormick.

**Standing:** Jean Templeton, Shirley Thigpen, Louise Gulley, Carolyn Lindsay, Patsy Munn, Sue Jackson, Betty Clinksscale, Pauline Lawrence, Jann Britt, Charlotte Myers, Martha Templeton, Dot Holifield, Martha Gordon, Betty Riley, Mildred Smith.

**Not Pictured:** Maurice Bonner and Carolyn Hemphill.



**DOT MCGILVRAY**  
President





## OFFICERS

DOT MCGILVRAY	President
PENNY STEWART	Vice-President
MARY TOM WILLIAMS	Secretary
AMORITA GORDON	Treasurer
MARY ANN McCORMACK	Registrar
MISS WATKINS	Sponsor



Left to Right: McCormick, Gordon, Williams, Stewart, McGilvray, and Miss Watkins.

To know the serenity of faith . . . to appreciate the beauty of art, literature and friendship . . . to find true fraternity and sisterhood . . . to promote true scholarship . . . supports various charities on a nationwide basis . . . members active in all phases of campus

life . . . publications, dramatics, art . . . highest scholastic average among local sororities . . ."

Dot McGilvray is head of the floor committee when Alpha Sigma entertains and Penny is her able assistant . . . little "M.T." is the chapter pencil pusher . . . and Gordon guards the clan cache.

Everybody Dances



The Chapter Choice





# CHI OMEGA

EPSILON DELTA



CHAPTER

Founded: University of Arkansas, April 5, 1895. 107 Active Chapters. Epsilon Delta installed, April 23, 1949. Colors: Cardinal and Straw. Flower: White Carnation.

**First Row,** Left to Right: Janet Landrum, Becky Tatum, Mary Lynn Yeager, Joyce Lingle, Martha Cooly, Dorothy McManus, Ann Hassell, Eugenia Stevens, Delores Bacot, Anna Catherine Williams.

**Second Row:** Reta Lou Cook, Mrs. Elkema, Nancy Jackson, Mary Lou Buchanan, Mrs. Jackie Majors, Joyce Smith, Ann Magee, Mary Louise Mazingo, Winnie Jean Ealey, Jane Spence, Garnet Griffin, Nevie Ethridge, Betty Read.

**Third Row:** Pat Jackson, Kathleen Gillis, Joyce Barret, Betty Ferguson, Betty DeJong, Joan Treishmann, Betty Lou Graves, Ida Marie Milner, Lenore Seldon, Roberta Bracy, Helen Welch, Joanne Hendricks, Jean Williams, Betty Ridell, Joan Fowler, Louise Milner, Peggy Jackson, Peggy Wilkinson.

**Not Pictured:** Lida Rebecca McLeod, Carolyn Primm, Dorothy Stewart.



**BETTY READ**  
President





## OFFICERS

BETTY READ	President
NEVILLE ETHRIDGE	Vice-President
GARNET GRIFFIN	Secretary
JANIE SPENCE	Treasurer
MARY LOUISE MOZINGO	Corresponding Secretary
MRS. C. E. ELKEMA	Sponsor



Seated, Left to Right: Spence, Mrs. Elkema, Griffin, Ethridge, Read, Mozingo.  
Standing: Eley, Magee, Smith.

First national social fraternity for women to be organized in the South . . . largest of the college Greek national social fraternities for women . . . presents National Achievement Award annually to outstanding woman in field of business, arts, letters, science . . . annual candle light dinner . . . members

active in dramatics, art, music . . . Alpha Psi Omega.

Betty (listed in W.W.'s of American Universities and Colleges) heads the Chi Omega household . . . Ethridge takes up slack when the boss is off on business . . . Janie Spence is custodian of the piggy bank and Griffin writes the chapter diary.

## Sorority Supper



## We Made It!





# KAPPA DELTA

BETA SIGMA



CHAPTER

Founded: Virginia State Normal School, Farmville, Va., October 23, 1897. 77 Active Chapters. Beta Sigma chartered May 14, 1949. Colors: Olive Green and Pearl White. Flower: White Rose.

**First Row,** Left to Right: Natalie Thiack, Kay Polk, Betty McDuffey, Ginny Runnels, Jene Helm, Maridel Vincent, Jane Williams, Ermyne Duckworth, Joan Freeman, Norma Iverson, Frances Davis, Gloria Tolar, Marcia Young, Janice Poythress, Judy Vinz.

**Second Row:** Janis Bovay, Diane Newsome, Tommie Pope, Ruth Thompson, Daisy May Brown, Johnneen Ingersall, Virginia Jones, Katherine Runnels, Bobbie Magee, Marilyn Newsome, Betty Hickman.

**Third Row:** Dot Catchings, Mary Lou Cowan, Barbara Bond, Betty Jean Smith, Norma Herrington, Rosemary Quinn, Amelia Graeser, Ann Loncoy, Emily Elam, Martha Cleveland, Justine Curtis, Mary June Ruffin, Daisy Ferguson.



**TOMMIE POPE**  
President





## OFFICERS

TOMMIE POPE	President
JOHNEEN INGERSOLL	Vice-President
KATHRINE RUNNELS	Secretary
BOBBYE MAGEE	Treasurer
ANN LONCOY	Asst. Treasurer
RUTH THOMPSON	Editor
BETTY HICKMAN	Membership Chairman



Seated, Left to Right: Pope, Ingersoll, Runnels. Standing: Magee, Loncoy, Thompson, Hickman.

Founded for the perpetuation of good fellowship, friendship, and sisterly love . . . the encouragement of literature and education . . . the promotion of social interest . . . and the furtherance of charitable and benevolent purposes . . . supports crippled children's hospitals and other charities . . . president and three members listed in Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges" . . . members active in student

government . . . dramatics . . . music . . . campus honorary societies.

"Terrible" Tommie is chief waiter when the K.D. cafe is open at the Pan-Hell House . . . second-in-command Ingersoll watches nearby . . . Runnels writes the check and takes notes . . . and "Woooo Louuu" collects the moola.

Enter Miss Bovay



O Charter Day!





# PHI MU

ALPHA OMICRON



CHAPTER

Founded: Wesleyan College, Macon, Georgia, March, 1852.  
67 Active Chapters. Alpha Omicron colonized, September  
1949, installed March 25, 1950. Colors: Rose and White.  
Flower: Enchantress Carnation.



MARY ROSS  
President

**Seated,** Left to Right: Betsy Lowery, Glen Mary Newsome, Evelyn Montgomery, Bobbie Jean Mayfield, Meryle Radford, Ann Lowery.

**Standing:** Mary Ross, Kathrine Ann Holiday, Dot Newton, Jean Files, Carolyn Garner, Nell Halfacre, Pat Martin.



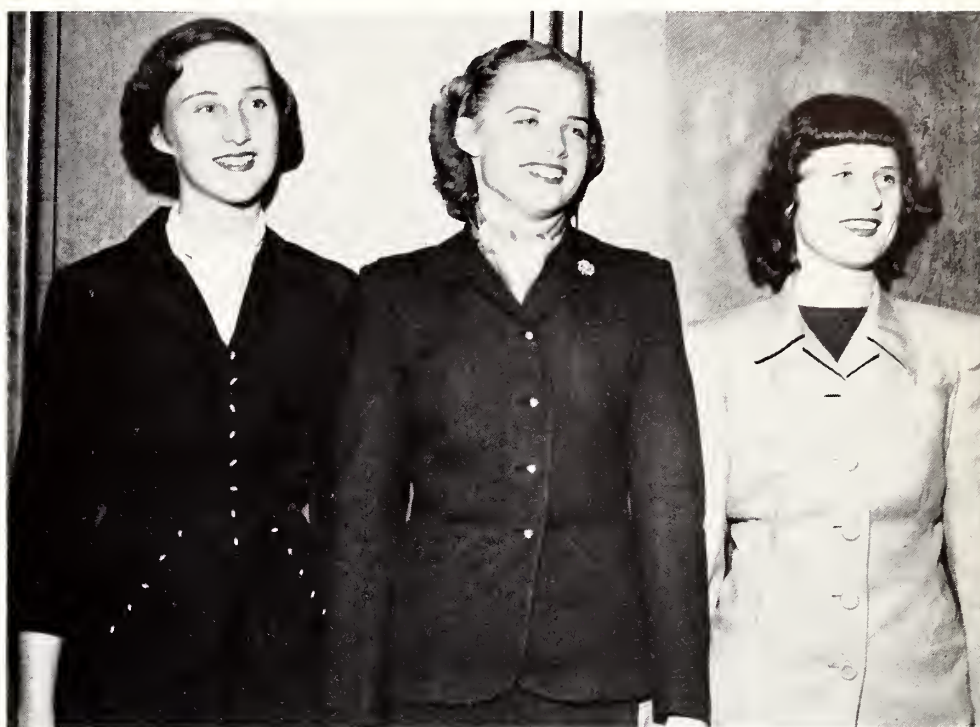


## OFFICERS

MARY ROSS . . . . . President

PAT MARTIN . . . . . Secretary

KATHRINE HOLIDAY . . . . . Treasurer



Left to Right: Holiday, Ross, Martin

To fill the need for closer association among classmates . . . inspired to attain high scholarship and lofty ethical standards . . . support Phi Mu Healthmobile in state of Georgia . . . offers scholarships to members excelling in college work . . . Members in student government . . . music . . . dramatics . . . journalism . . . art.

Ross, Holiday and Martin did the groundwork that led to the installation of Phi Mu . . . colonization began while other sororities were donning national colors and the colony took on the official robes of the Alpha Omicron chapter of Phi Mu late in March, to become the sixth national group at MSC.

Little Miss, Tall Story



The Way It Looks From Here





# ATHLETICS









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In the thirties came the "Rock"



Mississippi's most modern sports arena by 1950

In the past forty years the growth of the Athletic department at Southern has been synonymous with the historical increase in the size of the rest of the institution. The present intercollegiate program includes seven different sports that pit the Southerners against such "name" opponents as Tennessee, Kentucky and Alabama on the gridiron, Tulane and Ole Miss on the diamond, Delta State on the hardwood, and South Carolina, DePaul and L.S.U. in the squared circle.

This program has sprung from a strong nucleus of football that was the year round talk back in '12. Much of this spreading out has been done through the efforts of Athletic Director Reed Green, who came to the Southern campus as a student in 1930.

Four years later Pooley Hubert, head STC coach selected Green to stay as backfield coach of the Teacher's College team. Green remained, and was appointed head coach when Pooley resigned in 1936. The first of the Green years produced a seven won, three lost record, and the record has been consistent through the years.

In 1948, after a season record of seven for three, identical with the record of his first year as head coach, Reed Green announced that he had resigned as head football coach to devote more time to his new duties as athletic director. He looked back at a fine record of football coaching and Southern looked forward to many Green years in all phases of Intercollegiate Athletics.

Below, Athletic Director Reed Green



Director Reed Green and MSC's outstanding athlete of '50, Bubber Phillips



# DIRECTOR



# HEAD COACHES AND TEAMS



**THAD (PIE) VANN**  
Head Football Coach



**LEE FLOYD**  
Basketball Coach



**PERRY WALDVOGEL**  
Boxing Coach

Playing what was considered by experts to be the roughest schedule in the history of the school the 1949 footballing Southerners emerged on the long end of a seven and three won and lost record,

with a runner-up position in the Gulf States Conference. The chase was a merry one, beginning with the Wildcats of Kentucky and winding up with the Cardinals of Louisville University.

Bottom Row, Left to Right: Zack Lee, "Mutt" Campbell, A. Parsons, O. O'Mara, Captain, Arthur Hays, mascot, Lynn McLesky, Dewey Lane, Glenn Vinson. Middle Row: J. Montgomery, R. Williams, "Red" Holleman, "Black" Busby. Back Row: C. Anderson, Coach, G. G. Evans, J. R. Johnson, "Pete" Downer, Will Wood, Warren McLesky, V. C. Cagle, Wilden, Asst. Coach.

Only Freshman Team



## ATHLETICS



# FOOTBALL SQUAD



Clyde Stewart (Backfield); "Pie" Thad Van (Head Coach) and  
H. A. Smith (End Coach)

Bobby Holmes and Cliff Coggins

## PERSONAL RECORDS AND PREVIEWS

If the first year of leadership under Head Coach Thad (Pie) Vann is an omen of things to come on the Southern gridiron, grey hair will be plentiful on the domes of his future rival mentors.

Most of the record breaking of the season—national record, that is—was done by ole "Glue-fingers" himself, Cliff Coggin. All this converted Alabama flanker did for Mississippi Southern was to catch 53 passes for 1,087 yards and an average of 108.7 yards per game to set three new national pass reception records.



Front Row, Left to Right: Ed Langford, Carl Howard, David Lee Walker, Eddie Kauchick, Morris Brown, Perry Royett.  
Second Row: Razor Sharpe, Frank Spruell, Jim Owen, Anthony Rouchon, Robert McKellar, Bobby Holmes, Charles Stewart.





Third Row: Willie Wiles, "Legs" Landry, Paul McCullough, Robert Jordan, Ed. Kelson, Clint Arnold, Bob Posey, Fly Oakes, (Mgr.)

Fourth Row: Charles Borde, Charles Corne, Donald Alonzo, Tom LeGros, Jackie Mann, Paul Moyer, Reese Snell, Bill Radd, Boots McCormick.

Fifth Row: Jackie Williams, Cal Butler, Ivan Rosamond, Cliff Coggins, McGowan Hunt, Bobby Posey, Dallas Biggers, Doug Taylor, Phil Musmeci.

Sixth Row: Bubber Kaiser, Eugene Kemper, Joel Foshee, John Phillips, Elmo Lang, Buddy Dees, Ken Walker, Jack Jenevein, Robert Evans, Bill Blackmon.



# FOOTBALL



Top: Phillips pursued  
Bottom: Whoa, hoss, that's all!

## WILDCATS SCRATCH SOUTHERNERS

Overconfident Southerners were overridden by a flashy Kentucky team to the tune of a 71-7 defeat. The brilliant passing and quarterbacking of Wildcat Perelli might have doubled the score, had it not been for a superlative defensive game turned in by Southern's halfback Frankie Spruell.

The only offensive spark shown by the Southerners was in a short series of passes to Coggin for the seven points and the line work of Moyer, Kemper, Blackmon and Rosamond.

## SOUTHERNERS WIN AT FAULKNER FIELD

Showing an improved offense the Southerners moved into the win column with a 20-13 decision over the Greenies of Delta State. Sparked by the ball carrying of Bubber Phillips, making his first start of the season, due to a question of N.C.A.A. eligibility, Eddie Langford, Jim Owen and Bobby Holmes, the Vann men came from behind a 6-0 deficit at halftime to rate supreme when the final whistle blew.

## HOMECOMING WIN FOR SOUTHERNERS

Not even the standout efforts of such great small college backs as McMurry's Sampson and Rowland could spoil Southern's homecoming. The 55-32 shellacking handed the boys from Abilene, Texas, showed the Southerners in the best form of the entire campaign. On offense, the passing of LeGros and Holmes to Coggin and Sharpe, Kenneth Walker and Langford, left little to be desired, especially when coupled with the speed running of Phillips, Spruell, Brown and Owen.

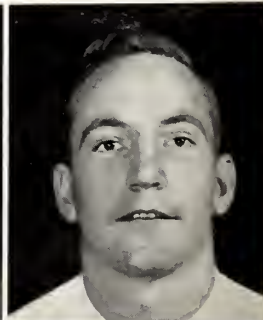
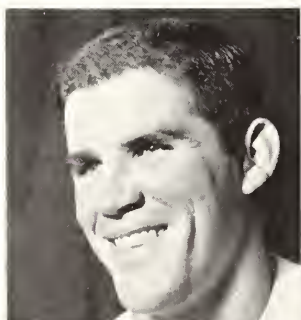
DONALD ALONZO  
MORRIS BROWN

CLINT ARNOLD  
CALVIN BUTLER

BILL BLACKMON  
STEWART COVINGTON

CHARLES BORDE  
JOEL FOSHEE

PERRY BOYETT  
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## SOUTHERNERS BITE BULLDOGS

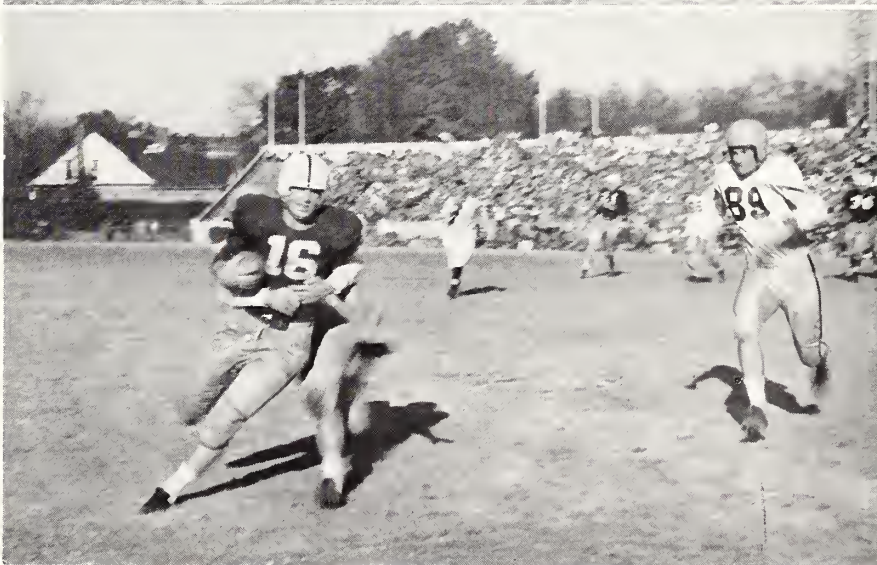
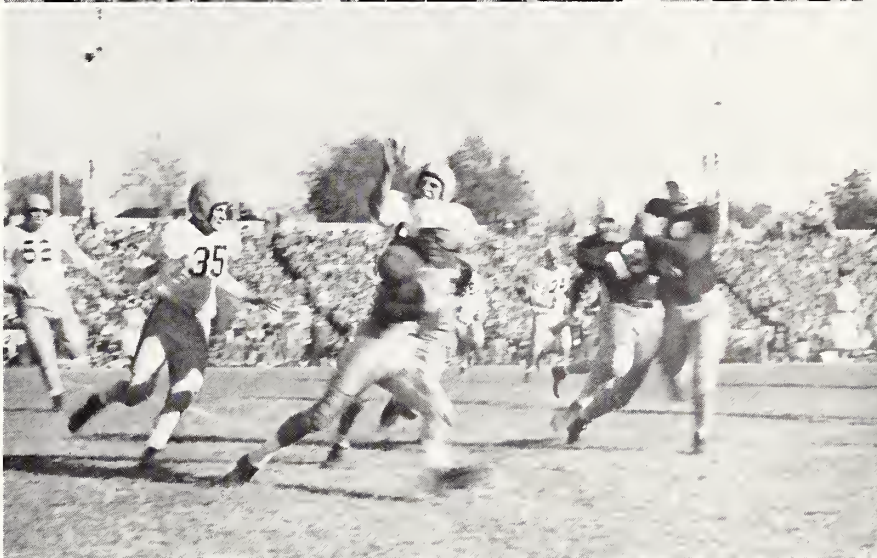
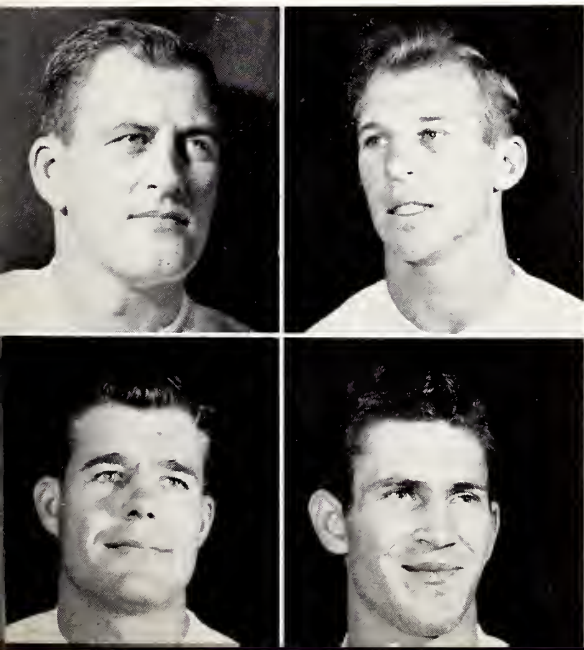
In the first half of the 25-0 win over S.L.I. the Southerners showed their best defense of the season, turning back three threats outside the 20-yard line. Outstanding play by Sharpe, McCormick, Coggin, Carl Smith, Jordan, and Borde and newcomer Bill Radd were the highlights of the game.

## CHATTANOOGA WIN GIVES MYTHICAL TITLE

The jet-propelled backfield of Mississippi Southern struck hard from all angles at Chamberlain Field on the night of October 21st, leaving no doubt as to the "best small college team in the South," and downing the Chattanooga Mocs 33-20. Again it was Phillips and Spruell lugging the mail most of the way. Owen lent assistance with power plunges into the line and LeGros and Holmes made pass yardage to Coggin repeatedly. Howard made three of five conversions.

SONNY JORDAN  
ED. KELSON

EDDIE KAUCHICK  
EUGENE KEMPER



Top: Cheers for a great team  
Center: Boots and Lightning strike  
Bottom: Credit Blackmon with an assist





Freacher Owen in Career Day Program

### ROUT NORTHWESTERN AT FAULKNER

Coach Vann's red-hot Southerners grabbed old man jinx by the ear and tossed him for a big loss, when the Wildcats invaded Faulkner Field. Coming from behind a 7-0 deficit, the Southerners took advantage of a pass interception by Sonny Jordan and won in a walk to the tune of 67-28. Phillips travelled 41 yards to score on the first play following the interception and the Vann men could do no wrong for the rest of the game.

### CLOSE OKLAHOMA CITY SERIES WITH WIN

Minus the Big Jim Wade of by-gone days, the Oklahoma City University Chiefs once again fell before the onrushing surge of the little school in South Mississippi. The 27-20 victory registered by the Southerners marked the end of a series of games with the Sooner school, as well as the end of intercollegiate football for the Chiefs, who announced they had dropped football soon after the Southern game.

Standouts in the close-out game were Kauchick, Langford, and Arnold in the back slots and Blackmon, Coggin, and Taylor up front.

Right, First Row: "Legs" Landry, Tom LeGros. Second Row: Paul McCullough, Moose Musmeci. Third Row: Jim Owens, Ivan Rosamond. Fourth Row: Ape Snell, Frankie Spruell. Fifth Row: Lindy Stewart, David Lee Walker. Sixth Row: Kenneth Walker, Willis Wiles. Seventh Row: Jack Williams, Houston Oakes.





# FOOTBALL

## SOUTHERNERS LOSE CONFERENCE TITLE

Woe! Woe! Woe! It was the Bulldogs' game all the way. Southern's potent offense was stopped on every play by a ready Louisiana Tech team that doped them before they started. The Vann defense hardly put up a good scrimmage for the title hungry Bayou Boys. The Southerners were willing to play for the title, but the Techsters were ready.

The one bright spot for Pie was the brilliant defense work of Eddie Kauchick.

## LATE SOUTHERN UPRISING SCARES TIDE

Four last quarter touchdowns by a never-say-die Southern team thrilled 15,000 fans that jammed Tuscaloosa stadium that Saturday, expecting to see the mighty "A" roll to an easy victory. In the absence of Phillips and Spruell, ace passer Bobby Holmes turned

into a leg man in the fourth quarter and scored touchdowns on 95 and 82 yard runs. Lightning Brown made two more via the first down route with the assistance of Holmes to Coggin passes. Final score: Tide 34; Southerners 26.

## CLIP CARDINALS FOR FINAL WIN

Two things tell the story of the final game of the season with the Cardinals of the University of Louisville. One was breath-taking pass receiving of Cliff Coggin who foiled the efforts of a tough Cardinal team to prevent him from breaking a third national record for number of passes caught in one season. The other was the almost perfect line play of the Southern forward wall. The cheers for the pass that broke the record were also cheers for a great team and a great football year. Southern won the game, 26-21.

Below: Spruell streaks for yardage  
Bottom: Coggin catches and continues



Below: Praise Allah! Block that point  
Bottom: Freshmen tend the Homecoming fire





# BASKETBALL



A. T. Bishop, Carl Brockman, Jack Hill, Billy Allgood, Jack Gallagher.



Wyatt Tullos Against Spring Hill

## FRESHMAN-STUDDER SQUAD IS GSC CHAMPS

Floyd Year number one saw a new hardwood era begin for Mississippi Southern. Coach Floyd made a flying start by bringing to MSC its first Gulf States Conference basketball title and a right to enter the NIAB playoff. This first year record becomes even more impressive because of the fact that it was accomplished with a predominately freshman squad and a starting team composed of four first-year hoopsters.

Big game of the year was played at Jackson at the request of the state legislation to decide "unofficial state championship." Southern won over Delta State 50-39.

### THE CAGE RECORD

MSC	33; Pensacola Navy	39
MSC	56; La. College	48

MSC	60; Spring Hill	59
MSC	42; S. L. I.	49
MSC	59; Pensacola Navy	48
MSC	57; Southeastern	47
MSC	52; Spring Hill	48
MSC	43; Centenary	39
MSC	43; Southeastern	78
MSC	66; Troy Ala. Teachers	51
MSC	59; La. Tech	51
MSC	47; Northwestern La.	40
MSC	55; Loyola	46
MSC	52; S. L. I.	64
MSC	54; La. College	46
MSC	57; Northwestern	54
MSC	52; Delta State	47
MSC	47; Loyola	41
MSC	58; La. Tech	64
MSC	60; Centenary	57
MSC	64; Troy Ala. Teachers	56

## VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD

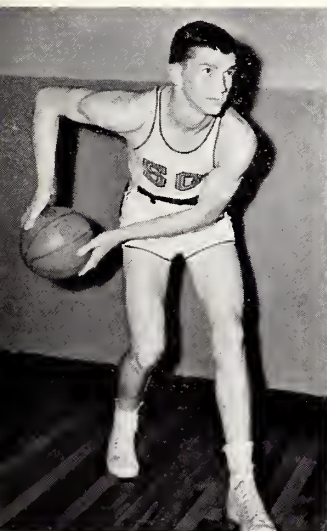
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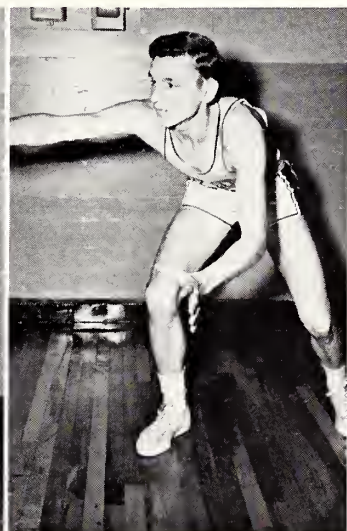




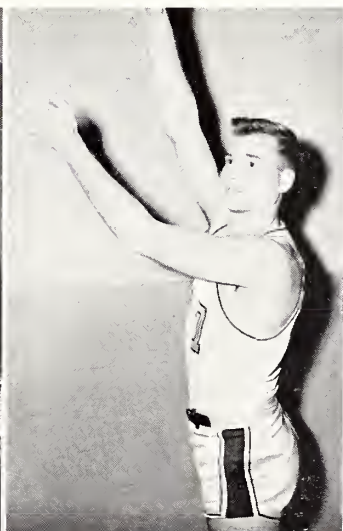
Southerners dedicate Field House with win over Southeastern



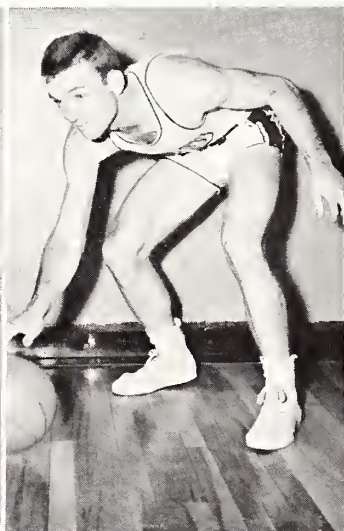
BILLY ALGOOD



TOM BISHOP



JAMES RAY CARPENTER



JACK GALLAGHER



HINDU REYNOLDS



# BASEBALL



Bottom, Left to Right: Bill Lee, Rabbit Walters, Joe Seymour, David Walker, Bill Baxter, and C. E. Halloway. Second Row: George Kelly, Wayne Jackson, Ed. Langford, Muss Freeman, Hopkins Phillips, Reese Snell, J. W. Herrington and Hop Stevens. Third Row: Jack Quinn, Bubber Kaiser, Billy Williams, H. L. Jeffcoat, Charles Cain, Tom LeGros and Cliff Coggin.

Mississippi Southern's diamond squad wound up the 1949 season with an average of 50%. The baseball men took twelve games, while dropping a like amount to the other members of the Gulf States Conference. Most of the games in the win column were due to the pitching arms of Cliff Coggin and Tom LeGros and the power hitting of George Kelly, Hop Stevens and Eddie Langford. Returning lettermen to the '50 squad include Kelly, Stevens, Hop Phillips, Muss Freeman, Reese Snell, Joe Seymour, Wayne Jackson, LeGros, and Dave Walker.

## 1950 SCHEDULE

Incomplete as of March 1, 1950

April 15	Spring Hill*	Mobile
April 17	Southwestern Louisiana	Lafayette
April 18	Southeastern Louisiana	Hattiesburg
April 22	Loyola*	New Orleans
April 29	Spring Hill	Hattiesburg
May 5	Southeastern Louisiana	Hattiesburg
May 6	Southeastern Louisiana	Hammond
May 9	Loyola*	Hattiesburg

\*Doubleheader (Two games with Ole Miss in Laurel are pending.)





ROD STEVENS



DAVID WARD

### FIRST BOXING TEAM MAKES GOOD

Making use of the facilities of a new sports arena, Mississippi Southern branched out into the field of intercollegiate boxing. Under the direction of Coach Perry Waldvogel, the fledgling mittmen moved right into the big time. Local boxers, competing for the first time on an intercollegiate basis had, going into a return match with McNeese Junior College, a record of three wins, two draws and one defeat. At this stage of the season, freshman Georgie Easterling, 135 pounds, was the lone fighter with an undefeated record. The eight man MSC squad defeated such teams as DePaul of Chicago, University of South Carolina, and a team from Louisiana State.

#### SCHEDULE

Mississippi Southern	4	; North Texas S. T. C.	4
Mississippi Southern	4	; McNeese College	4
Mississippi Southern	3½	; L. S. U. 'B' Squad	4½
Mississippi Southern	6	; L. S. U. 'B' Squad	2
Mississippi Southern	4½	; U. of Sou. Carolina	3½
Mississippi Southern	5½	; De Paul University	2½



Bottom, Left to Right: David Ward, Rod Stevens, and George Easterling. Second Row: Clyde McGee, Tony Rouchon and John D'Antoni. Back Row: Coach Perry Waldvogel, Joel Foshee and Capt. Ed. Kelson.

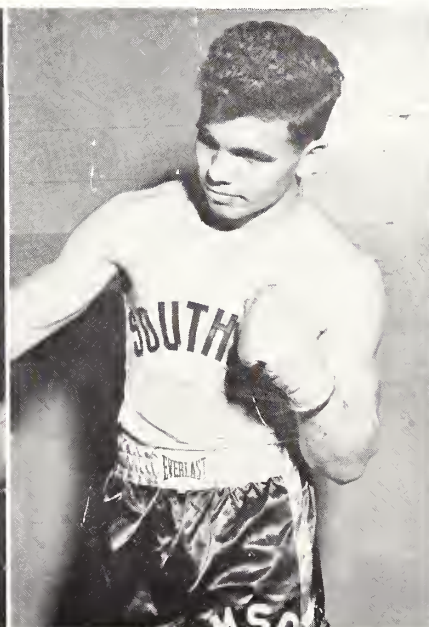
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## BOXING

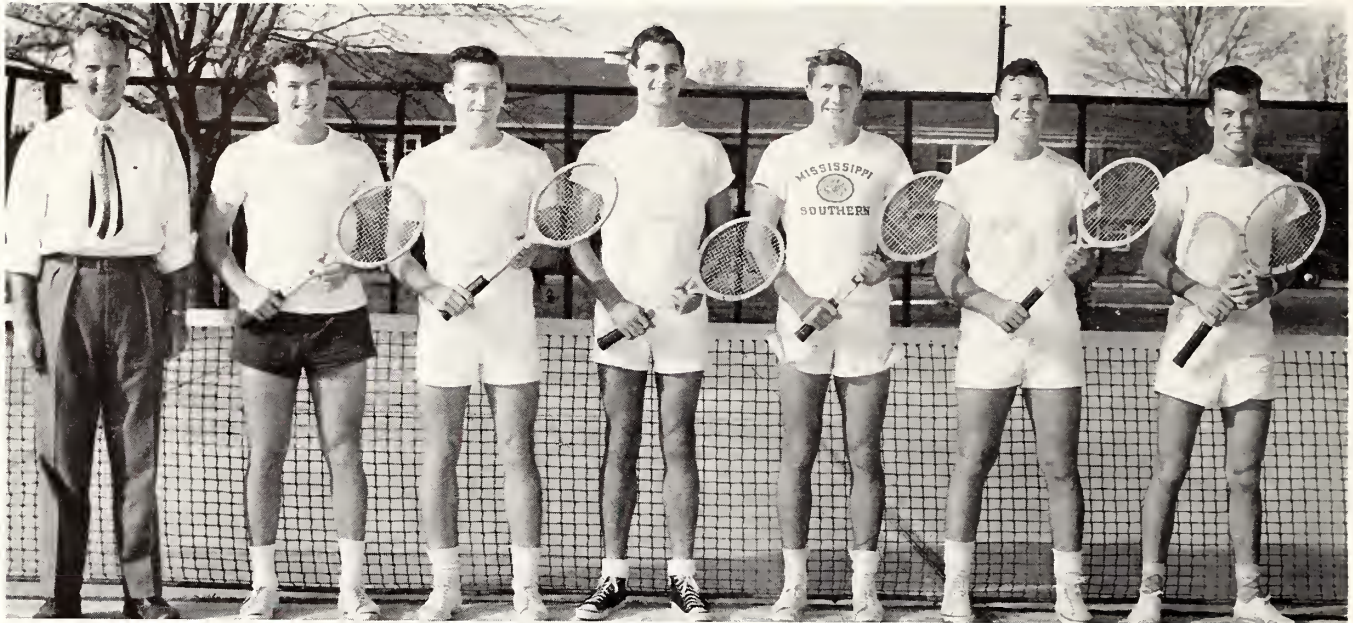


# TENNIS

With eight new courts prepared for use the 1950 MSC tennis team is preparing for a great year. Four returning lettermen and three newcomers make up the team that is working out under the

direction of Coach Wilbur Carr. Lettermen Charles Duffy, Jack Mangin, Stanley Bessey and Armand Prentiss compose the veterans.

Left to Right: Mr. Wilbur L. Carr, Toxie Luckey, Jack Mangin, Stanley Bessey, Armand Prentiss, Jim Pace, Fred Minini



Left to Right: Jack McCurley, Martin Clapp, Warren Nations, Orville Musser, Dean Noblitt

Runners-up in the Gulf States Conference tournament played in Mobile heads the list of accomplishments registered by the local linksmen for the 1949 season. The MSC men split with the winning Spring Hill club in their two matches during the regular campaign, but fell short in the play-off.

Most consistent winner for the Southern team was Emmett Gordon, although the No. 1 and 2 spots were held down ably by James Stubbs and Ed. Musser.

# GOLF



# STATE A. A. U. CHAMPS

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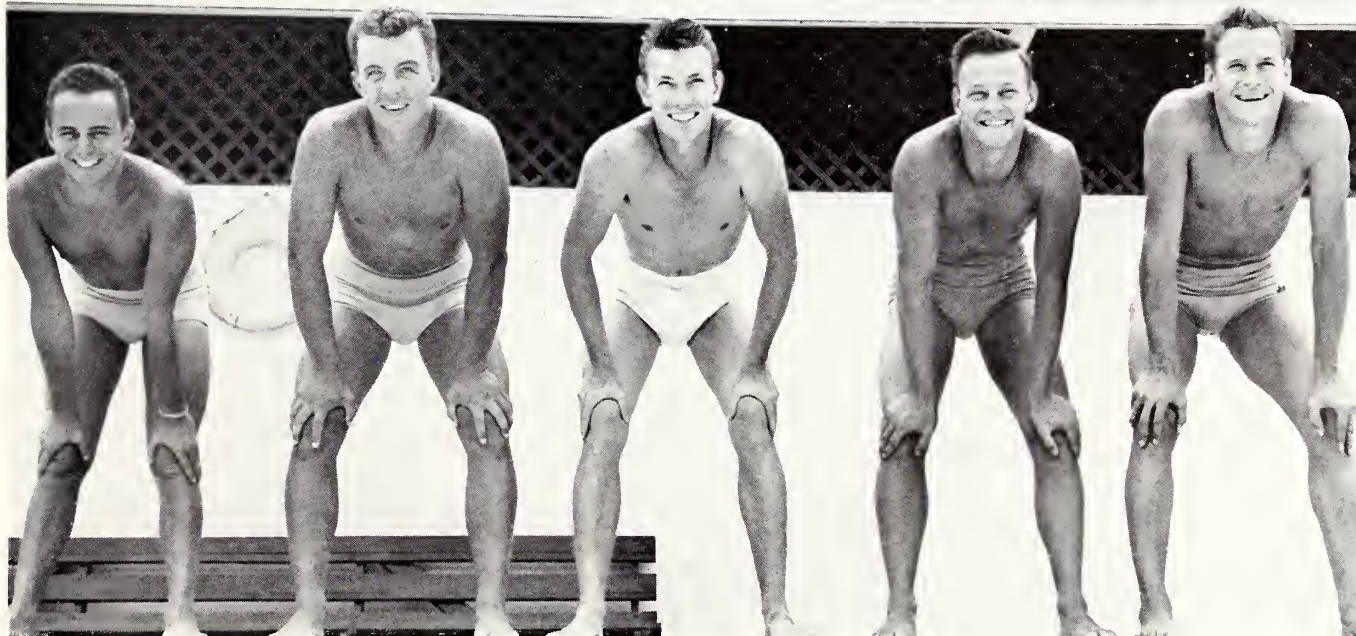
## GIRLS SWIMMING TEAM

Left to Right: Betty Lou Coston, Nell Buckley, Norma Harrington, Dot Kemper, Meg Holmes.

Bottom:

## BOYS SWIMMING TEAM

Left to Right: Paulo Saboya, Paxton Rawls, Louis Ferguson, Buddy Woods, Gene Hart.



PAULO SABOYA



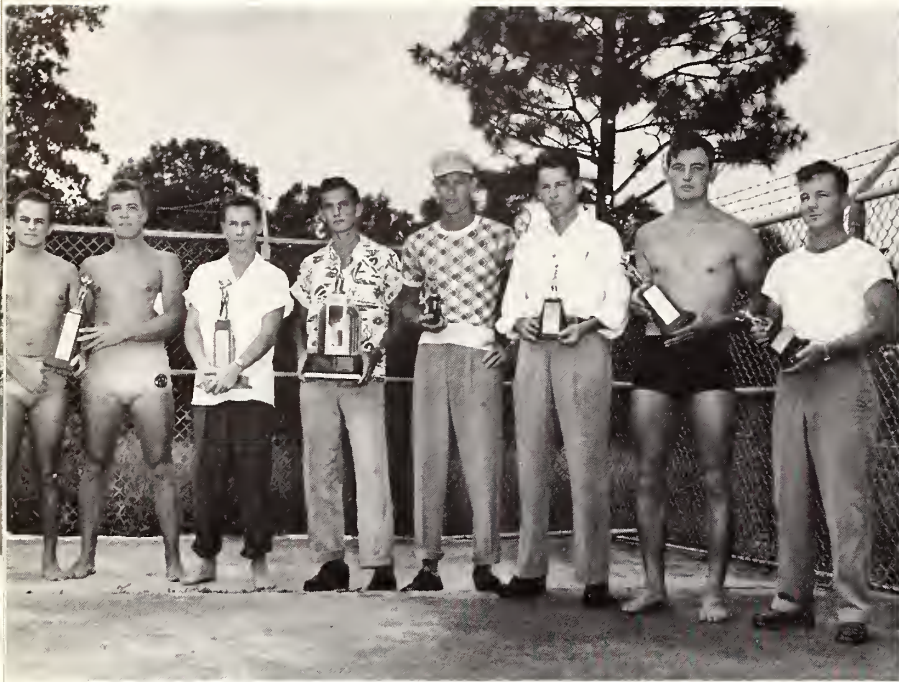
The Southern Swimmers, paced by the brilliant Brazilian, Saboya, more than made their splash in state competition last Summer by finishing in the runner-up spot for the second successive year in the men's division and the championship spot in the women's division of the state-wide Mississippi A.A.U. meet. Coach Waldvogel's waders hold two decisions over the Jackson Flying Fish Club of Jackson in dual meets.

Saboya brought home the individual high point trophy for men, with a total of sixteen markers for the two-day meet.

# SWIMMING



# INTRAMURALS AT SOUTHERN



## BOYS INTRAMURAL CHAMPS

Left to Right: Paulo Saboyo, Paxton Rawls, Swimming; Don Noblitt, Golf; Murray Keel, Tennis; Norris Faggard, Forrest County Softball Team; Clinton Sullivan, Shelby Coil Burners basketball team; Ivan Rosamond, Diving; Ed Simpson, Forrest County Hall Football Team.

Under the smooth direction of Mr. Wilbur Carr and his able graduate assistant, Ed, Simpson, Southern's intramural sports department has become one of the finest and most comprehensive in the South. The program has offered the opportunity for voluntary sports activity to several hundred of the general student body, exclusive of the varsity squads.

Based around the three seasonal sports—touch football, basketball and softball—the intramural program also includes tennis, volleyball, boxing, swimming, water polo, badminton and ping pong. The schedule is so arranged that one of these sports is being played year round.

Various awards are given the individual and team winners of



## GIRLS INTRAMURAL CHAMPS

Left to Right: Sonya Jordan, Diving; Mamie Pittman, Golf; Pete Prescott, Hattiesburg Hall Softball Team; Nell Buckley, Swimming; Merla Roberson, Mississippi Hall Basketball Team.

the different games. The intramural football trophy went to Kappa Alpha fraternity this year, as did the volleyball award, Kappa Sigma captured the fraternity and intramural basketball trophies and also the water polo cup. Team boxing honors went to "the Rock" (Stadium Dorm), with Kappa Sigma a close runner-up.

Women's intramurals are directed by Miss Angeline Watkins of the Health and Physical Education Department under the sponsorship of the Women's Athletic Association. The women's program includes basketball, softball, tennis, swimming, badminton and speedball.

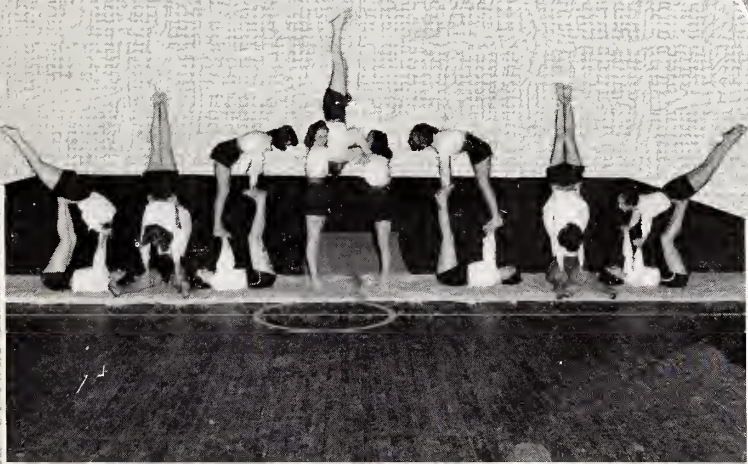
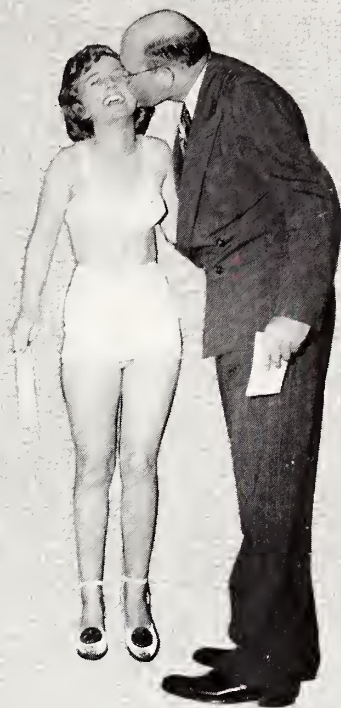
In all events, and with all participants, good conduct and sportsmanship are required in the Southern intramural sports program.

## BATHING BEAUTIES

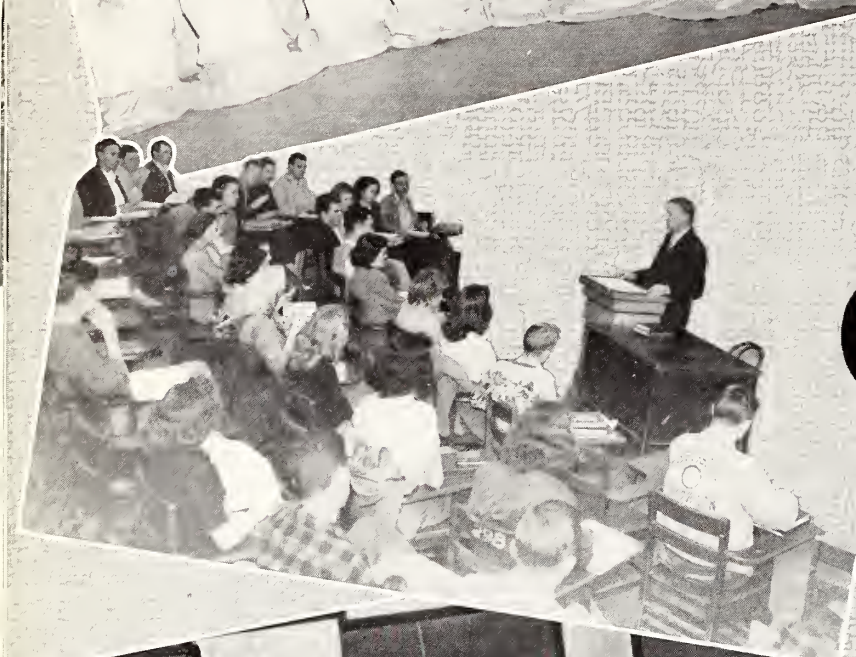
Left to Right: Patsy Baker, Beryl Harkey, Ernestine Ford, Betty Langson, Helen Hall, Ann Phillips, Sonya Jordan, Katherine Johnson, Annie Lou Sykes, Goldie Daughdrill, Tommye Morris, Louise Sims, Billie Shotts, Kay Gough, Merle Stubblefield Katherine Runnels, Imogene Bradshaw, Verna Stewart.











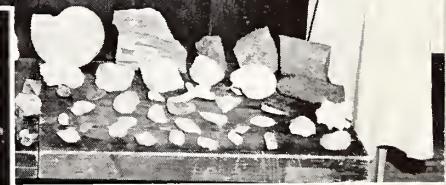
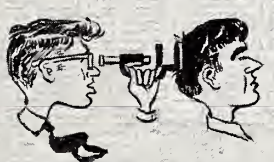
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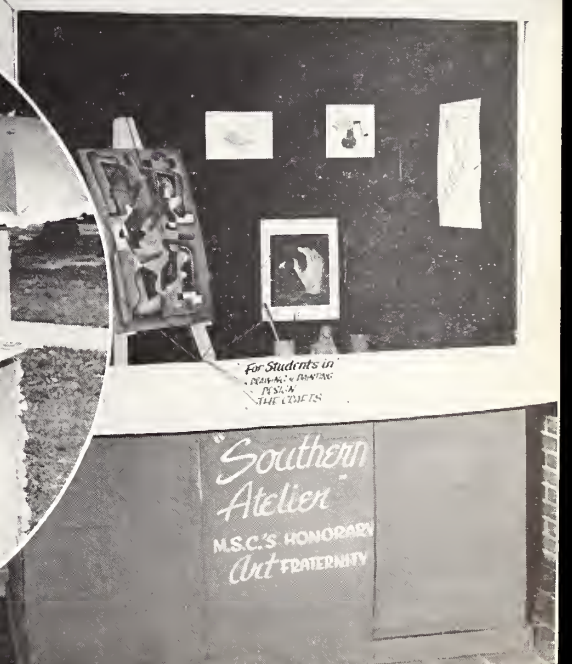
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# CAREER DAY BOOTHS







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Not Pictured: Gordon Black, Ben Briggs, Aubrey Johnson, Dr. R. A. McLemore, Dr. H. A. Shands, Dr. H. V. Vinnedge and Mr. Moran Pope.

Organized in 1942 for the purpose of recognizing young men who are outstanding in all phases of college activities . . . its members have made notable achievements in such fields as scholarship, athletics, leadership, and extra-curricula activities . . . limited to a small percent of total male students and faculty members.

# PI TAU



**First Row.** Left to Right: Jerome Drane, Mrs. Annabel Collins, Norma Shedd, Dottie Erle Kirkpatrick, Margaret Tims, Overton A. Currie.

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Those not in Picture: Richard Johnson, Letha Krohn, Olive Roy Gibson, Jean Smith.

# PI KAPPA PI

Established at University of Mississippi in 1925 . . . Mississippi Southern chapter established March 31, 1949 . . . first chapter to be added under the nationalization of the organization . . . requires 70% "A's" for 90 quarter hours work as minimum standard for membership . . . ideals are loyalty, purity, and learning . . . colors are white and deep blue . . . flower is the white rose.

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**Seated, Left to Right:** Frank Spruell, Reese Snell, Tom LeGros, Jim Owen.

**Standing, Second Row:** Ed. Langford, Brew Rhyne, Muss Freeman, David Walker, Morris Brown, Phil Musmeci, Razor Sharpe, Melvin Phillips, Eddie Simpson.

**Standing, Third Row:** Hopkins Phillips, Cal Butler, Pete Kelley, Doug Taylor, Henry Reynolds, Jack Jenevein, Chuck Borde, Jim Cochran, Armand Prentiss.

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Composed of men who have earned a letter in one of the major varsity sports . . . meets weekly and sponsors various speakers and forums designed to give future athletic directors a proper background in the fundamental rules and regulations of the sports world . . . sponsors regular social activities for both members and the general student body.



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**First Row,** Left to Right: Reese Helmer, Sr., Joe Collins, Daniel Lindsey, James H. Crosby, George Ishee.

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**Not Pictured:** Eugene Dearman, Harry Ross, Joseph Aikens, Willie Pugh.

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**First Row,** Left to Right: Myrna Reynolds, Hester Rhodes, Emily Mitchell, Gertrude Gifford, Ruth Ann Butler, W. B. Harlan.

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**Second Row:** Hayward Anderson, Cecil Harper, Fred Wilson, Bobbie Rogers, George Craft, Nevie Ethridge, W. D. Chapman, Carl Smith, Myrna Reynolds, Dorothy Lewis, Dan Lindsey.

**Third Row:** Jake Cantwell, Thomas Kern, Ernest Kitchens, Manuel Cochran, David Brock, Harold Cockrell, Joe Green, Albert Lomas, Edward McCaleb, Reese Helmer, Jehu Brabham, Robert Dansby, Joseph Hinton.

**Fourth Row:** Floyd Bailey, Cecil Welsh, Doyle Downs, Dan Hitt, Gaston Corley.

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**First Row,** Left to Right: Edith Smith, Justine Curtis, Zan Skelton, Betty Jean Smith, Kathryn Blair, and Miss Jane McGruder.

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National honorary dramatic fraternity, election to which is gained by earning points in acting, backstage work, and any related dramatic work . . . installed at Mississippi Southern in spring, 1949 . . . purpose: to further the interests of dramatics . . . to develop an appreciation of dramatic art . . . and to provide a society for the recognition of outstanding achievements in the field of college dramatics . . . 230 college chapters.

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**Second Row:** Dalton Burch, Lytle Roberts, Dr. J. D. Welsch, Mr. John Wills, Bishop Barker and Joyce Barrett.

Not Pictured: Betty Jeanne Smith, Joe Davis, David McClamrock and Frank Barber.

# PI KAPPA DELTA

National Honorary Forensic Society . . . Founded for the purpose of stimulating interest in inter-collegiate oratory and debating . . . limited to those students who have represented their college in speech performances and debates . . . Delta chapter organized at Mississippi Southern in spring of 1949 . . . founded in 1912 . . . colors: cherry red and white.



# KAPPA MU EPSILON

**First Row,** Left to Right: Jim Wright, Wesley Fikes, Lewis Webb, Mr. Orval Phillips, Henry Jones and George Sistrunk.

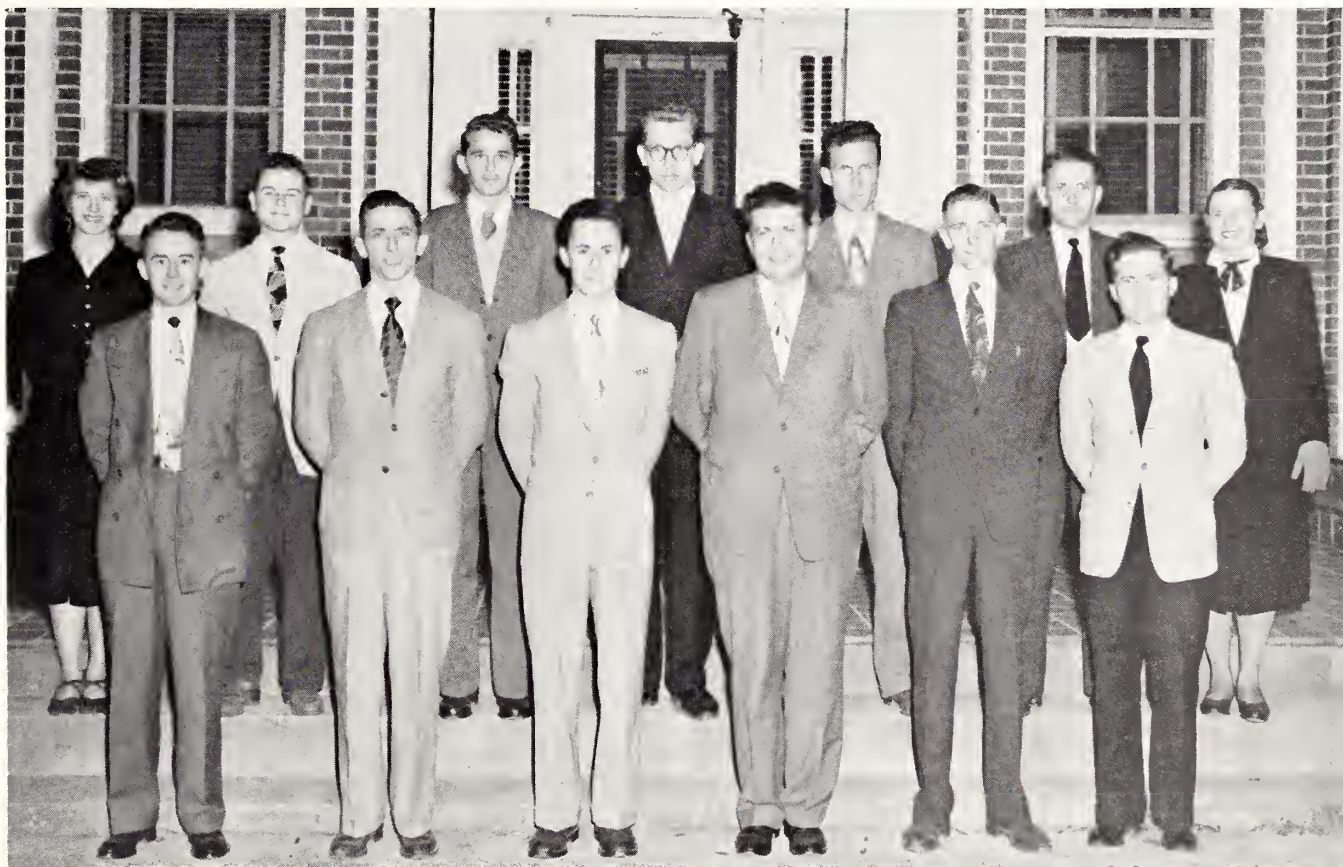
**Second Row:** Eva Nell Hunter, Phil Slade, Bud McCearry, E. C. Stanford, John Grant, George Holifield and Lois Wright.

**Not Pictured:** James Parker, Miss Virginia Felder, Wright W. Cross, and Lois Wright.

Motto: "To develop an appreciation for the beauty of mathematics" . . . installed at Mississippi Southern in May, 1949 . . . object: to further the interests of mathematics . . . to help the undergraduate realize the important role that mathematics has played in the development of western civilization . . . to develop an appreciation of the power and beauty possessed by mathematics . . . and to provide a society for the recognition of outstanding students in the field of mathematics . . . colors: rose-pink and silver . . . flower: wild rose.

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**Back Row,** Left to Right: Price, Smith, Myers, McKensie, Kelly, Swinney, McGhee.

**Middle Row:** Sheppard, Black, Wood, Ammons, Dillard, Moran.

**Front Row:** Ward, Walker, Berry, Hulsey, Bryant, Gillespie, McCarthy.

No Picture: Lena Mae Cole, Lamar Gillespie, Flora Mae Sheppard, Joseph McGehee, Gordon Black, Donald Berry, Rex Hulsey, Billy Ray Ammons, Charles Reedy.

Associate Members: James Price, Carl Smith, Hulon Myers, Jimmy McKensie, Charles Kelly, Jean Swinney, Tommy Wood, Austin Moran, Wilmer Dillard.

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To encourage excellence in pre-medical work by furnishing a goal toward which the medical student may strive . . . to promote fellowship among similarly interested students . . . to aid in bridging the gap between the spirit of pre-medical school and the school of medicine . . . installed on October 23, 1948.



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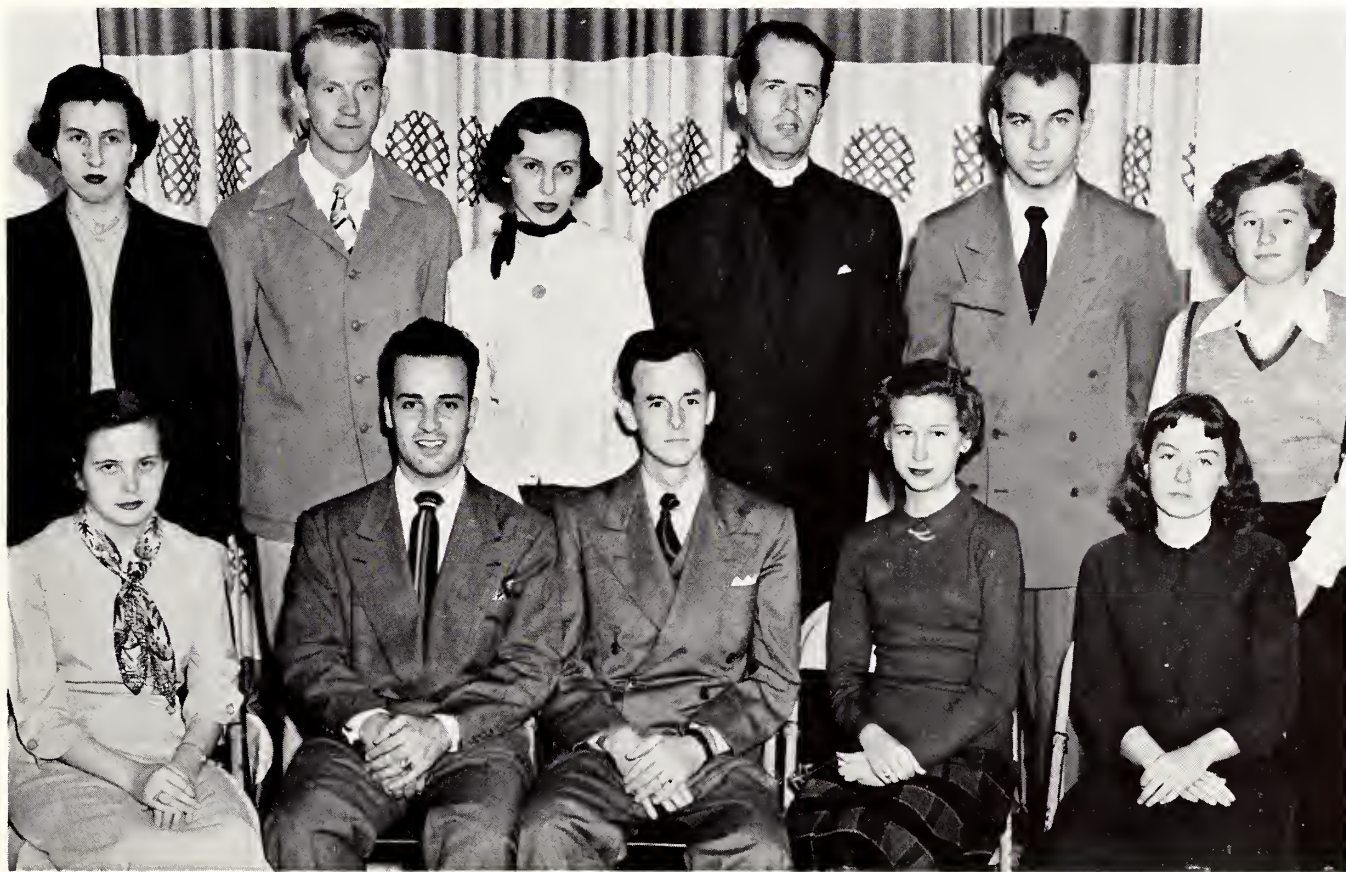
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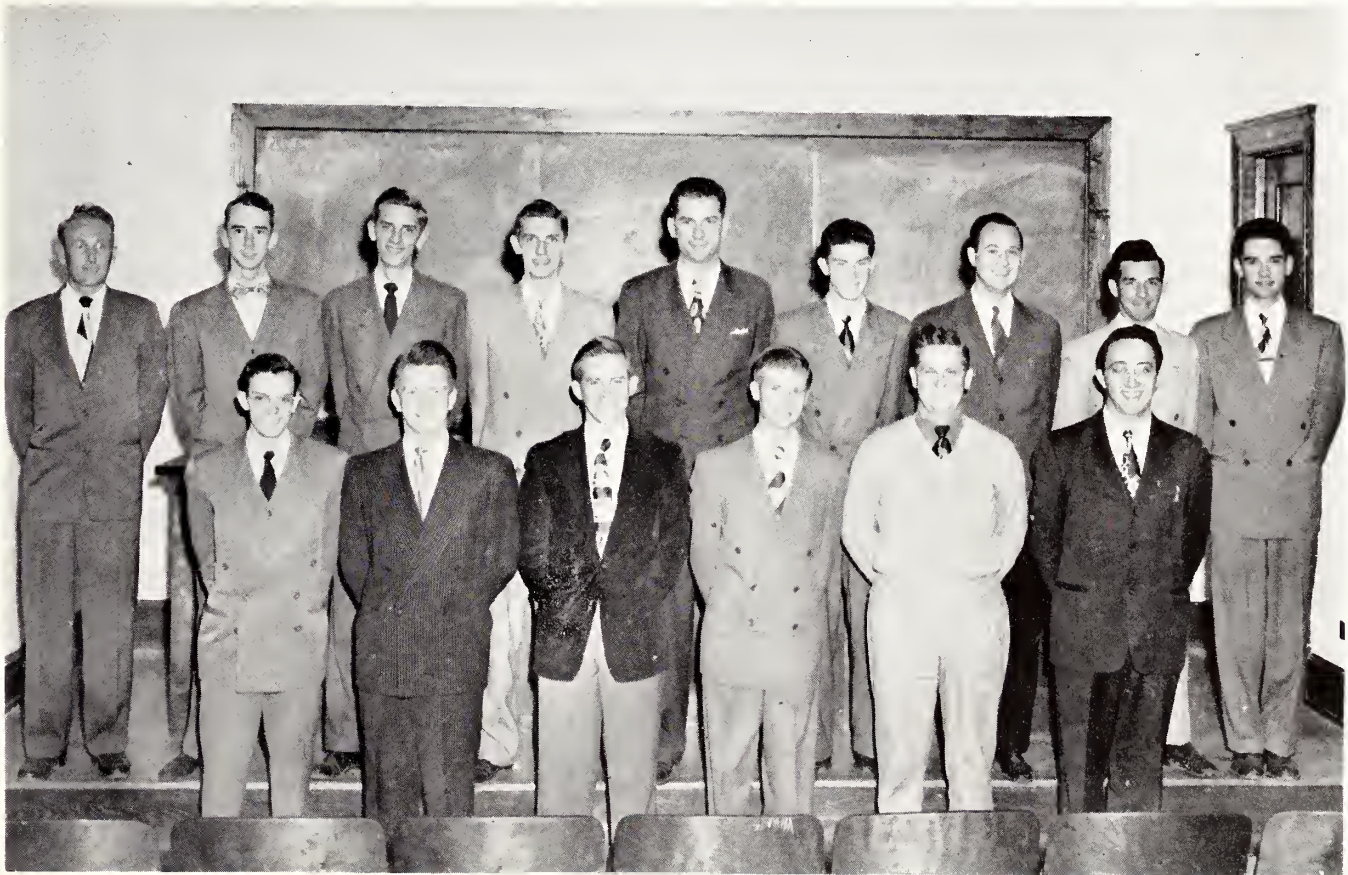
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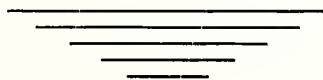
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